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# SINCLAIR RAPS OIL SITUATION

## FAILURE TO FOLLOW OPERATING ORDERS CAUSE FATAL WRECK

### FORTY-THREE PERSONS ARE BURNED DEATH IN TELESCOPED MOTOR COACH

AKRON, O., Aug. 1.—(AP)—Railroad investigators today blamed an engine-man's failure to follow operating orders for the fiery death of 43 persons in 1940's second major train wreck.

They said failure to sidetrack a gasoline-electric coach led it to crash head-on with a 73-car freight train near here last night.

The steel coach instantly became a virtual furnace. Two members of the coach's crew and a trainman deadheading leaped to safety. All the others aboard burned to death. Five children were among the victims.

The coach's single engineman, Thomas L. Murtough, 49, was blamed by L. M. Wolcott, Cleveland trainmaster for the Pennsylvania Railroad, on whose single-track Hudson-Akron line the cash occurred. Murtough, seriously injured, was unable to tell his story.

Wolcott, watching crews clear away the wreckage, decelared:

"The crew of the 'Doodlebug' (the gasoline coach) and the crews of the freight train had orders to meet at Silver Lake, one mile north the scene, and wait for the freight to pass. Murtough should have taken his train onto the siding there. For some reason he did not go onto the siding."

J. F. Allenspaugh, Akron yardmaster, said his investigation also showed the "Doodlebug's" crew was at fault.

After a preliminary investigation, E. W. Smith, vice-president of the railroad, expressed a similar view and said the coach's crew also disregarded a "rigid" rule in failing to obtain permission from the block operator at Hudson before continuing on the main track.

In a statement at Pittsburgh he added:

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## Edward J. Flynn New Democratic Committee Head

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Edward J. Flynn of New York accepted today an appointment to the chairmanship of the democratic national committee and asserted that "there can be only a repetition in 1940 of the election of four years ago."

In a formal statement, issued after he was chosen head of the party organization, effective Aug. 17, Flynn asserted that with the record made by President Roosevelt and his running mate, Secretary Wallace, "Reversals become impossibilities."

"Our forces," he said, "are trained to victory. Our opponents are hardined by defeats."

He said he intended, however, that the campaign should be as thorough as "though the results were doubtful."

The selection of Flynn, leader of the democratic forces in the Bronx and a former secretary of the state of New York, was made at a conferernce between President Roosevelt, Wallace, retiring Chairman James A. Farley, and a commitele set up at the Chicago convention to help select the new national chairman.

Farley, who will retire from the chairmanship of the national committee on August 17, to operate the New York Yankee Baseball system, announced Flynn's selection.

Farley, Secretary Wallace, democratic vice presidential nominee, and President Roosevelt made the decision at a conference with a committee named at the Chicago convention to pick a successor for Farley. Flynn headed that committee and he was regarded as something of a dark horse in the speculation on the new chairman.

Edward J. Flynn has dominated democrartic affairs in the populous borough of the Bronx, New Yorrk City, for nearly 20 years.

During the early part of the Roosevelt administration, when Tammany Hall and the New Deal were nodding cooly, if at all, Flynn was recognized in New York as the New Deal representative on patronage and kindred matters.

He resigned as New York secretary of state a year and a half ago, a post to which he was first appointed Jan. 1, 1929 by Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt.

He presently is United States commissioner general for the New York World's Fair and as such several times represented President Roosevelt at fair ceremonies.

Flynn was one of the leaders of the third campaign for President Roosevelt and took an intimate part in negotiations at the democratic national convention in Chicago which led to the precedent-breaking nomination of Mrr. Roosevelt last month.

His organization in the Bronx,

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## SCORES DEAD IN TRAIN COLLISION

Upper—This is the wreckage of a Pennsylvania railroad motor coach in which at least 41 persons burned to death at Akron, Ohio, when it crashed headon into a freight train. The impact telescoped the gasoline-powered car and set fire to its fuel tanks. Lower—Rescue workers are shown in the two lower pictures as they invaded the flame-seared wreckage of the motor coach which collided head-on with a freight train. The top picture shows a fatally burned woman victim (left). The rescuer with the helmet is using a blow torch in the bottom view. Note the grim expressions as the workers seek, amid smoke and steam, to extricate the bodies.

## MANY PROMINENT FRENCHMEN DEPRIVED THEIR CITIZENSHIP

### THEIR PROPERTIES ALSO ORDERED CONFISCATED BY PETAIN GOVERNMENT

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—((AP) via radio)—A long list of prominent Frenchmen, reading like pages from France's pre-armistice who's who, have been ordered deprived of their citizenship and their properties confiscated the German wireless announced today.

The list, the first since the Petain regime decreed action against those who left France "without valid reasons" between May 10 and June 30, included two members of the internationally known Rothschild banking family. It was broadcast by the government station at Vichy and picked up here.

The two Rothschilds were Baron Edouard, head of the French branch of the family's far-flung banking operations, and Baron Maurice, a member of the French senate.

(Baron Maurice De Rothschild arrived in Montreal this week with a cousin, Baron Robert De Rothschild, the latter's wife and daughter, after having taken temporary refuge in Britain. Baron Edouard, his baroness and their daughter arrived in New York July 10 by Clipper plane.

(Baron Maurice declined to comment today on the French government's action.)

Others on the list included some

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## CONSIDERABLE WIND DAMAGE IN BUSINESS DISTRICT WEDNESDAY

Three plate glass windows were blown out of the Miles No. 2 Furniture store on North Beaton street by the strong wind that accompanied the shower here Wednesday afternoon. Gliders and chairs on display in the windows were badly damaged and a steel table was blown out into the street. The damage was estimated by members of the firm at $200 or more.

An awning was blown from the Sears-Roebuck store and one on the Marks Bros. annex was torn into shreds. A few other awnings and signs were damaged by the wind, but no other material property damage was reported. Several trees were blown down in various secetions of the city.

Light damags was reported on the Albritton farm east of town where the storm struck.

A transformer on the Texas Power and Light Co. line near the Magnolia lake was burned out.

Lightning is reported to have struck a floor lamp at the residence of N. L. Perry, negro, 1012 East Collin street. No damage was done and no one was injured.

The rainfall was .24 of an inch, bringing the total for the month to 4.49 inches and 27.27 inches for the year. The average rainfall for July is 2.49 inches and for the first seven months of the year is 21.67 inches.

## MOLOTOFF DECLARES RUSSIA NOT TAKING ANY PART IN WAR

### TAKES A DIG AT THE UNITED STATES AND SAYS NATION WILL AID BRITAIN

MOSCOW, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Foreign Commissar Vyacheslaff Molotoff told the Russian parliament today that Soviet Russia "is not taking part in the war" and predicted its early intensification with "England, assisted by the United States" on the one hand fighting Germany and Italy on the other.

Recent events, including collapse of France, had only served to improve Russia's relations with Germany, Molotoff declared in a four months review of foreign relations while saying better understanding with England could hardly be expected in view of past anti-soviet manifestations on the part of the British government.

Turning to the United States, Molotoff said:

"I will not dwell on our relations with the United States of America if only for the reason that there is nothing good that can be said about them.

"We have learned that there are certain people in the United States who are not pleased with the successes of our foreign policy in the Baltic countries. But we must confess we are little concerned over this fact inasmuch as we cope with our tasks without the assistance of these displeased gentlemen.

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## GERMAN BOMBERS RANGE ALONG COAST ENGLAND THURSDAY

### INDICATED AXIS PLANS ARE TO BLOCKADE AND BOMB BRITAIN INTO SUBMISSION

**By the Associated Press**

Nazi bombers, favored by improving weather, spread the war of aerial attrition up and down the English coast today, hammering away with high explosives at the ports which link a world empire.

In one southeastern town several persons were killed when a German bomber dived from a great height, released its load and turned loose machine guns. The bombs started a number of fires. British planes rose to pursue the raider.

The damage of earlier raids was minimized by the Ministry of Home Security.

The German high command gave point to a statement of Virginio Gayda, authoritative fascist editor, that Britain would be brought low by bombing and blockade by announcing "night raids * * * against ships and facilities in southern English ports, as well as against searchlight poitions."

Last night, the high command said, there were air fights near Dover — the vital channel port which Nazi bombers raided Monday. West of the Scilly Islands, about 25 miles off Lands End, England, armed merchantships were bombarded, the communique said.

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## GERMANY CONTINUED HEAVY AIR ATTACKS ON GREAT BRITAIN

### LITTLE DAMAGE DECLARED TO HAVE RESULTED FROM LATEST WIDE BOMBINGS

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Several persons were killed today when a German bomber dived through the clouds from a great height and bombed and machine-gunned a town of southeastern England. Fires were started by bombs.

British planes rose to pursue the raider.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Germany continued to strike at Britain by air with raids during the night on both the east and west coasts One German fighter was shot down, the government said.

On an air ministry communique said "two of our fighters failed to return from yesterday's patrols."

Earlier the ministry of home security announced that enemy raiders dropped bombs "at a few points in the neighborhood of the Thames Estuary and the Bristol channel" last night, slightly damaging houses. No casualties were reported.

There were scattered raids mostly by small groups or lone planes, over most sections of England throughout the night and this morning.

Although comparatively large numbers of high explosive and incendiary bombs were reported dropped, apparently most of them fell in open fields.

One incendiary bomb struck the roof of a ward in a hospital near a southeastern town. The resulting blaze was extinguished so quickly that it was not necessary to move patients.

Official figures said July attacks on Britain had cost Germany 240 planes—almost eight a day—and 600 men.

The fact that both the Hamburg and Bremen radio stations went off the air this morning

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## ANOTHER DELAY IN CONSCRIPTION BILL BY SENATE COMMITTEE

### LATEST PROPOSED RESTRICTION WOULD LIMIT CONSCRIPTS TO MILLION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Beset by demands that the Burke-Wadsworth military training bill be further restricted, the senate military committee agreed today to delay a vote on the mesaure until Monday and the senate put over until that day consideration of a bill for calling out the National Guard.

The latest proposed restriction was advocated by Senator Lee (D-Okla) with the support of Senator Bridges (R-NH). It would limit to 1,000,000 the number of men between 21 and 30, inclusive, who could be conscripted for training.

The limitation, suggested by Senator Lee (D-Okla) and seconded by Senator Bridges (R-NH) would give the resident specific authority to order conscription of 500,000 men between the ages of 21 and 30, inclusive, next October.

A further section of 500,000 men could be called early next year, although the date was not set in a rough draft of the amendment introduced at a closed committee session.

Senator Bridges said the committee agreed to hear war department officials on the question tomorrow morning, thus further delaying final committee action on the bill, which had been expected today.

Senator Austin (R-Vt.) reported that members had agreed informally to postpone a final committee vote until Monday.

Other actions today included adoption of an amendment, by Senator Chandler (D-Ky) for exemption of reserve officers training corps cadets, thus allowing them to complete their educations and obtain reserve officers commis-

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## PLAN NEW JAPANESE TOTALITARIAN STATE DOMINATING ORIENT

### NEW GOVERNMENT PLANS TAKE IN FRENCH INDO-CHINA AND DUTCH EAST INDIES

TOKYO, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The government of Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye announced today a plan for a brand new Japanese state, based on a sweeping totalitarianism at home and dedicated to an independent foreign policy which would extend Japan's domination southward over French Indo-China and the Dutch East Indies.

In a statement of policy the government outlined a strongly centralized and unified state designed for creation of "a new order for greater East Asia," with the yen bloc—Japan and her continental satellites whose currencies are based on the yen—as the foundation.

The statement failed to take Japan any closer to the Rome-Berlin axis despite the totalitarianism at home. It pulled Japan away from the other western powers, however, and called for an extensive rearmament program.

Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka said in an interview that Japan had discarded the policy of trying to win the friendship of "recalcitrant nations." As for the European war, he said Japan for the present would maintain a policy of non-involvement.

"We strive to make whatever friends we can under the prevailing environment," he said, "but henceforth we will not make a vain effort to grasp the hands of those

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## Start Intensive Campaign to Rid City Stray Dogs

An intensive campaign to rid the city of Corsicana of stray dogs and other animals was announced Thursday by police department officials after it had been learned that at least one rabid dog had been found in the vicinity of the city and there was a strong possibility others might have been infected.

Citizens were asked to co-operate with officials by calling 199 when a stray dog appeared near their premises and where possible to keep track of the animal until a member of the police department could arrive to execute it.

Persons owning dogs and other pets were urged to keep them on their own premises and as far as possible to keep them away from strays. It was recommended that pets acting queerly be confined and kept under close observation.

Seven head of cattle on the outskirts of the city are known to have been infected with rabies and have been destroyed as a result of being bitten by a group of strays ranging in that area. One child was bitten by one of the dogs and is now taking treatment.

Officials said they were not alarmed by the situation but there was sufficient potential danger to justify taking extensive precautions.

## GERMANS CLAIM FIVE BRITISH PLANES ARE DOWNED IN FIGHTING

### ACTION REPORTED TO HAVE TAKEN PLACE OFF IMPORTANT PORT OF DOVER

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Five British fighter planes and two barrage balloons were shot down in an air battle near Britain's vital channel port of Dover in widespread raids on the southern British coast yesterday, the German high command announced today.

The action off Dover was the second in three days.

British warplanes, the high command declared, had bombed the center of Hanover, Germany, which it said was far from any military objective, killing and injuring a number of persons.

British air losses yesterday were listed as eight planes, against two German planes missing.

During the course of the day, the high command said, three British warplanes entering Norwegian, Dutch and Danish territory, were shot down.

The high command reported that, despite bad weather conditions, the Nazi air force carried out extensive operations, bombing shipping in the English channel and west of the Scilly Islands.

Night raiders, it was announced, attacked British ports and searchlight positions during which fires and explosions were observed on the ground.

Germany has completed "preliminary studies" for dive-bombing assaults on the British Isles and the concentrated stuka attack on Dover Monday can be repeated endlessly at other vital British ports, German military observers declared.

**Port of Dover Out**

Nazi aviators regarded the port of Dover as out of commission for some time and the English channel as so thoroughly under German air patrol that it is useless as a shipping lane.

Observation planes reported at least three ships sunk in Dover harbor and said dock facilities

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**Nominated Streetman Postmaster**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The President sent to the senate today for confirmation these Texas postmaster nominations:

Streetman, Mary E. Horn; Welmar, Simon J. Burttschell.

## DECLARES FEDERAL CONTROL BE BETTER THAN PRICE FACTORS

### OIL MAGNATE DISCUSSED CONDITIONS TEXAS PRORATION HEARING THURSDAY

AUSTIN, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Discussing ills of the petroleum industry, Harry F. Sinclair today rapped price setting factors, and declared he would prefer federal control "fairly and intelligently exercised" as against dominance of those now determining prices on oil products.

He was a witness at a statewide proration hearing before the Texas Railroad Commission, oil conservation administrator in this state.

Sinclair asserted further under questioning that he was not an advocate of federal control and that he did not know whether the industry would be more prosperous under such regulation.

To improve oil conditions generally he suggested that the commission grant all applications for increased production provided there was no physical waste.

The chairman of the Consolidated Oil Corporation's board, in answer to a question, expressed the opinion that if proration were lifted in Texas for a period, it would not necessarily establish federal control.

"I believe," he said, "that complete lack of production regulation in Texas possibly would bring about fairer methods of competition and that the small producers would have a much better chance than they have at present.

"You're just kidding yourself when you say that proration holds up the price of oil."

Sinclair complimented the commission's handling of industry problems.

**Supply and Demand.**

"But you believe we are bucking the law of supply and demand?" asked Ernest O. Thompson, commission member.

"I'm afraid you are," the oil man answered.

"Do you believe we should protect the small producer?"

"Yes, I think you should."

"If we disregard prices and filled all orders, do you thing that would solve the problem?"

"It may," Sinclair replied. "But I don't think the Texas commission alone could correct industry-wide difficulties. I think that if you gave everybody all the oil they wanted, operators over the nation would become conservation-minded.

"Texas should stop this appeasement program, this Chamberlain-umbrella idea. Texas is the giant of the industry. He has been hoppled. Turn him loose without permitting physical waste. I think this will be helpful in curing the situation."

Asked if federal control would

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## SLAYING OF YOUNG UNWED MOTHER HAS BAFFLED OFFICERS

### WOMAN'S PARTLY DECOMPOSED BODY FOUND TRUSSED UP BENEATH TREE

DARTMOUTH, Mass., Aug. 1.—(AP)—The "Lover's Lane" slaying of 22-year-old Irene Perry, described by Assistant District Attorney Edward J. Harrington, as an unwed mother, developed into a baffling mystery today.

The young woman's partly decomposed body was found trussed up beneath a tree yesterday, and authorities said they were at a loss to explain how it got there and why.

Police released a 31-year-old New Bedford millhand, a fellow townsman of the slain woman, after he had been questioned throughout the night. The millhand, they said, established an alibi.

Attaches of the district attorney's office, however, asserted they were not entirely satisfied with the millhand's alibi and indicated he might be questioned again.

Harrington said the girl, whose body was found at the end of a wooded road known locally as "Lovers Lane," apparently had been strangled, but medical authorities withheld a definite finding following an autopsy.

Miss Perry had been absent from her home since June 29 and medical examiner William Rosen made a statement indicating his belief that she had been dead since approximately that date. Her brother, John, said she left home to pay a bill at a clothing store and police learned that the bill was paid and that she made several small purchases.

When she failed to return, her father, Joseph Perry, reported her missing.

From that day her whereabouts remained unknown until five WPA workers, picking blueberries, found her body hidden under some brush beneath a pine tree.

## At Time When Conquering Nazis Are Poised For Big Death-thrust At Britain Comes Story Of "Why England Slept"

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

At a time when the conquering nazis are poised on the shore of the English Channel, eager for the death-thrust at Britain, and our own country is rushing to strengthen its defenses, it is worth while pausing to consider why the world's greatest empire was unprepared for war and is now fighting for its like with back to wall

Young John F. Kennedy, son of our heavily lime-lighted ambassador to the Court of St. James, today publishes a book (Wilfred Funk, New York) in which he expresses an engaging view of "why England slept." For reasons which will appear later I want to emphasize that serious-minded John Kennedy, who is the eldest of Mr. "Joe" Kennedy's nine children, has produced this important study at the age of twenty-three.

Among the causes assigned for England's unpreparedness are bad leadership; "A great lack of young progressive and able leaders;" the opposition to the conservative party, which was in power, was the labor party "and labor naturally did not wish to lose its identity by joining wholeheartedly with the government on an armaments program."

There was a strong league of nations sentiment in England.

"There was the closeness of the government to the English aristocracy which was opposed so strongly to war." Further there was the impossibility of matching Hitler's huge armaments expenditure without resorting "to rigid state control to prevent inflation and that would have been the end of capitalism and democracy."

I had the privilege of studying this situation myself at first hand, and finally was at Berchtesgaden, Godesberg and Munich to report the fateful conferences between Hitler and British Premier Chamberlain, exponent of "appeasement." With this background I find John Kennedy's book a thougtful work which contains much common sense and keen analysis.

Still, I'm not so much concerned with his conclusions as with the fact that he is only twenty-three. Next time I meet his father I'm going to ask him whether—with all his great sucess and those nine million dollars he is supposed to have—he was thinking along such serious lines, or could have produced such a book at the age of twenty-three.

Maybe he was, and maybe he could. But to me John represents the development of a brand new youth in this country—thinking youth which is seeking much more eagerly for truth and a place in the affairs of our land than were the young folk of the past generation when Mr. Joe and I were fresh from school.

In traveling about the country I have been intensely interested in

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# NAVARRO COUNTY ALSO PRODUCES EARLY LAYING HENS

Limestone county enjoys no advantage over Navarro in the production of early laying pullets according to a letter received by the Corsicana Daily Sun from W. B. Rutherford of Barry, Route 1.

Mr. Rutherford reported he took off a hen and chickens on January 25, and while he did not recall the exact hour they were hatched, he knew it was the day previous. Three of the pullets, two Barred Rocks and one cross-breed Rock and Buff Orphington were saved.

The Navarro countian reported the cross-breed layed on May 19 and one of the Barred Rocks the following day, while the third was slightly undersized and did not start laying until about a week later. He also stated he had several pullets hatched in February that did almost as well.

The producer said the chickens were raisced on a ration of corn meal and gray shorts moistened with buttermilk, to which corn and oats were added later.

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and machinery largely were wrecked.

In turning to destruction of British ports to tighten the blockade of England, Germany considers Britain's trade and supply facilities the most vulnerable point in her defense, the military commentators said.

(In a London broadcast, British Minister of Shipping Ronald H. Cross yesterday said Britain was prepared for "sudden changes in our port arrangements.")

The military commentators gave the impression that German strategy does not call for an immediate invasion of England by land forces.

Asked when "the major attack on England" would start, they replied:

"It has been under way ever since the French armistice. With the sea and air forces sinking more ships in a week than can be replaced in months, Germany can be satisfied that excellent progress is being made."

### Dutch Casualties.

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—(AP)—(Via Radio)—The German wireless reported today from a "competent German quarter" at the Hague that the final casualty list of the Dutch army in the fighting last May was 2,890 killed, 6,889 wounded, 29 missing.

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was taken as indication of renewed Royal Air Force raids on nazi targets.

In the war at sea, the admiralty acknowledged the 1,375-ton destroyer Delight had gone down with "small" loss of life. Sunk by enemy air attack, the Delight was the 29th British destroyer lost since the start of the war.

Possible new British naval operations in the Mediterranean were indicated by a Madrid broadcast which said five submarines, four destroyers, an aircraft carrier and three capital ships had sailed from the Gibraltar base yesterday morning.

Part of the force also might have been intended for duty in the Africa-to-Arctic blockade of the European continent which Britain put into effect at midnight last night.

## Former U. S. Embassy Clerk Is Charged

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Tyler Kent, former United States embassy clerk here whose arrest was announced June 1, was formally charged under the official secrets act at the Bow street police station today.

With him was charged a woman identified only by name, Anna Wolkoff. She was said to be a beautiful Russian.

Kent formerly worked in the United States embassy at Moscow.

The proceedings today were secret. But an official statement afterward said the pair had been remanded for seven days.

The home secretary announced June 1 that Kent was detained as a result of action by United States Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy. He previously had been dismissed from his position at the embassy.

He was born 29 years ago at Newchang, Manchuria, of American parents. His mother is living in the United States. His father, A. H. P. Kent, is dead.

Embassy officials remained silent about the case.

### Airplane Production.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The British magazine Aeroplane estimated today Germany's aircraft production at 1,800 machines a month and added "there remains not the slightest doubt the potential output of Great Britain and America is much in excess of that."

"On that approximate basis—1,800 monthly—we do know that the rate of the British aircraft industry has been expanded to a figure in excess of estimated German production," the magazine said.

"On top of that, we have a steadily increasing flow of airplanes from Canada and the United States."

### Cotton Export Company

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The board of trade announced today establishment of a company known as British Overseas Cotton, Ltd., to aid promotion of export trade in products of the cotton industry.

It also ordered an additional tax on raw cotton of five pence per 100 pounds beginning immediately.

The new corporation is registered as a private limited company with nominal capital of 100 pounds, held by only two shareholders, Raymond Streat, chairman of the cotton board, and Frank Platt, executive member of the cotton board and chairman of the company.

A sum corresponding to the proceeds of the new tax—estimated at from 200,000 to 300,000 pounds for the full year—will be made available to the company to enable it to perform its required services.

Close co-operation with the cotton board will enable British Overseas Cotton, Ltd., to experiment in organizing the production of particular cloths as well as organizing sales overseas.

The board of trade statement suggested the new company should be able to assist materially in solving in the export trade difficulties so acute they cannot be overcome by independent firms.

### Steamer Reports Attacks

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The British steamer Theseus was reported by Mackay Radio today to have sent out a distress signal saying she was being attacked by a submarine off the southwest coast of Ireland.

The Theseus is a 6,527-ton passenger liner owned by the Ocean Steamship Company Ltd. of Liverpool.

The ship listed her position as latitude 51.48 north, longtitude 21.21 west, which would put her 500 miles west of Foynes, Ireland.

Her position indicated that she might be in a convoy bound for Canada, possibly with refugee children.

### Defense Plans Changed

LONDON, August 1.—(AP)—A change in plans to defend Britain was disclosed today by an order of the new commander-in-chief, General Alan Broke, to remove many of the barriers which have been erected across roads throughout the island.

The order, reflecting a return to the traditional theory that attack is the best defense, calls for removal of the steel and concrete barriers to permit rapid movement of troops to any threatened sector.

### Fall Greeting Exchange

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—A free monthly exchange of cable greetings between stay-at-home British parents and their children removed to the Dominions under the government scheme was announced today by Sir Edward Wilshaw, chairman of cable and wireless.

### Robt. W. Service Refugee

AN EASTERN CANADIAN PORT, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Robert W. Service, 66, who wrote "the shooting of Dan M'Grew" and numerous other popular rhymes of the Yukon, returned to Canada today as a war refugee after an absence of 28 years. He was in Russia when the war started.

### Civilians Withdrawn.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Withdrawal of civilians from areas in East Anglia, east and northeast of London, and on the southeartern coast was ordered tonight by the ministry of Home Security as a measure further to tighten Britain's defenses.

# AVIATION GASOLINE FOR ENGLAND IS NOT AFFECTED BY ORDER

HOUSTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Exports of aviation gasoline to England will not be affected by the embargo announced by the President, authoritative Houston oil circles said today.

Moreover, they said, they believed sales of aviation gasoline to Britain would increase.

They pointed out the ban allows sale of aviation fuel to any nation in the western hemisphere. This, they said, does not change the present methods of transfer to England.

Since the war began last fall and England was placed in the belligerent zone in which American ships could not travel, oil has been sent by tanker to Halifax, Nova Scotia, or other Canadian ports and then transferred to British tankers to be convoyed to England, the oilmen said.

Another route, to the British and Dutch West Indies, may be stopped by the embargo, but sales to Venzuela still are permissible, giving England another opportunity to get the gasoline, oilmen said.

They believed halting sales to nations other than those in the Western hemisphere would not greatly damage the aviation gasoline market. They said inquiries for aviation gasoline by British representatives here two weeks ago indicated Britain intended increasing her purchases.

## AN OPEN LETTER

Wortham & Martin, Publishers,
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Gentlemen:

Please express through the columns of your good papers my sincere appreciation to the people of Corsicana and Navarro county for their splendid support of my candidacy for Representative on last Saturday.

The majority given me over both of my opponents by the people of Corsicana and the other communities throughout the county enabled me to win the democratic nomination in the first primary, for which I am especially grateful.

As you know I am leaving today with the members of Kerens Battery E, 132nd Field Artillery, Texas National Guard, to which I am assigned as assistant-executive officer, for a three weeks field training period in Louisiana.

It would have been necessary for me to leave whether or not I won the nomination last Saturday, and for this reason I am deeply grateful to the people of Navarro county for saving me the sleepless nights I would have spent in Louisiana during the second primary.

I nave never felt that military service entitles any man who is running for office to any special consideration. To me this is no more than my patriotic American duty, and therefore I made no public declaration of this during the campaign. Never-the-less I do sincerely appreciate the kindness of the voters of Navarro county which made it possible for me to take part in these maneuvers with a mind at ease.

During the next two years it will be my purpose to faithfully and diligently serve the best interests of all the people of my county and state, as I have made every effort to do in the past.

Respectfully,
JAMES E. TAYLOR,
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## DEFENSE

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sion before being called for service.

Senator Guffey (D-Pa) proposed that divinity students be exempted from the conscription bill's provisions.

Sections of the bill calling for registration of all males between 21 and 30 years, inclusive, would not be disturbed by the amendment Bridges said.

Army officers previously had testified that from the 12,000,000 expected to register in this class, about 4,500,000 were expected to be available for training after all exemptions had been granted.

## Modification Fails Win Over Opponents

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Sharp curtailment of military registration plans failed today to win over leading senate opponents of conscription.

Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) declared the action of the senate military committee in voting to limit registration to men between 21 and 30, inclusive, did not alter his objections to the compulsory training program.

The original Burke-Wadsworth bill called for registration of all men between 18 and 64, with only those between 21 and 30 likely to come under an immediate selective draft.

Wheeler announced, however, he would not oppose legislation authorizing the President to call out the National Guard and the officers' reserve corps for a year's intensive training.

Democratic Leader Barkley decided to take up that bill in the senate this afternoon.

While senators were deep in debate over manpower, they received fro mthe house a quickly-approved bill adding $4,963,151,957 to the vast preparedness fund. The money, asked by President Roosevelt, would begin work on the proposed "two-ocean navy,' provide 14,394 more army and navy planes and purchase equipment for 2,000,000 soldiers.

Opponents of the conscription bill have been advacating greater efforts to obtain voluntary army enlistments.

The senate military committe made a concession on that point by voting to reduce the enlistment period from three years to one year and to make voluntary service available to all men 18 to 34, inclusive.

There were indications the house military committee would follow the lead of the senate group in requiring registration only for men from 21 to 30, inclusive.

### Aircraft Plant Workers Delay Strike

SEATTLE, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Union employes of the Boeing Aircraft corporation's three Seattle plants, acting on appeals that they do nothing to retard national defense production, voted last night to delay for at least ten days a threatened strike.

The workrers, who are opposing a proposed reduction in wages in lower brackets, authorized their negotiations committee to continue their efforts to reach a settlement with the company.

Their decision came at a mass meeting, just an hour and a half before the midnight deadline they had set for the walkout. The workers voted to remain at their post shortly before a telegram was received from Secretary of Labor Perkins urging them to postpone the strike action.

The vote come after a similar telegram was read from J. R. Steelman, labor department commissioner of conciliation in Washington, D. C.

### Would Serve New Air Station.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The Texas Mexican Railway Company applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to construct a 19-mile spur to serve the naval air station being built in Nueces county, Texas, as a part of the emergency defense program.

### Plant to Produce Toluene

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—(AP)—A $500,000 plant to produce toluene, the basic ingredient of T. N. T. explosive, directly from petroleum, will be built immediately by the Shell Oil Company at its Houston, Texas, plant to augment the supply of this chemical for defense needs.

Hitherto, the only source of high quality toluene has been the coal tar by-product of industry.

### Flames Aboard Aboard Carrier

CAMDEN, N. J., Aug. 1.—(AP)—Flames broke out last night on the $12,000,000 navy seaplane tender Curtiss, berthed on the Delaware river.

Scaffolding inside one of the main stacks blazed up but the fire was extinguished without major damage.

Officials of the New York Shipbuilding Company declared there was "no suspicion of sabotage" but that the federal bureau of investigation would make a routine inquiry.

### Beats Deadline.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The Pan Kraft, American freighter loading a cargo of scrap metal bound for Japan at the port of Corpus Christi beat the deadline for the President's new embargo on scrap, petroleum and tetra-ethyl by getting aboard her full consignment of No. 1 scrap before midnight last night. The vessel was still in port here today, completing her cargo with tyles of scrap not affected by the licensing regulations which went into effect last night.

### Patterson Takes Office.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Taking over office as assistant Secretary of War, former Judge Robert P. Patterson of New York added his endorsement today to the principle of compulsory military service.

"It seems to me the emergency does not permit any further experimenting with voluntary recruiting," he said.

## NEW JAP STATE

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countries which cannot be turned into friends."

### Greater East Asia

The government's statement coined the phrase "Greater East Asia" in naming the sphere Japan aims to dominate—previously it had been simply "East Asia," meaning Japan, Manchouuko and the occupied sections of China.

Of this Matsuoka said:

"Needless to say, the term 'Greater East Asia' includes the South seas. The final aim is establishment of a stabilizing force for a self-sufficiency embracing not only Japan, Manchoukuo and China, but also Indo-China and the East Indies."

"The government," said the statement, "will strive for repletion of armaments adequate for execution of the national policies by taking into consideration the new developments both at home and abroad."

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# WAR BRIEFS

### Disappearance Explained

BUCHAREST, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The disappearance of Albrecht Douglas of New York, German-American chemist missing for two weeks, was partly explained today by the United States legation, which announced he had been held by Rumanian secret police for nine days, then released, and might be again in custody.

The Rumanian high command said Douglas had been arrested on suspicion of espionage. Evidence proved insufficient and he was released July 27. It is probable he has been picked up again by another branch of the police, the high command said.

### France Not to Quit League

VICHY, France, Aug. 1.—(AP)—France will not resign from the League of Nations, although its attitude toward the league is one of "indifference" a French foreign office spokesman said today.

"We recognize the value of certain of its technical services," he said. "For this reason France will not resign from the international body."

### Relying on U. S. Aid.

MOSCOW, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Vyacheslaff Molotoff, premier and foreign commissar of Soviet Russia, told the Supreme Soviet today in a review of foreign affairs that England was continuing her fight against Germany "relying upon the assistance of the United States."

### Get Vatican Citizenship

VATICAN CITY, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The Vatican announced today that Vatican citizenship had been conferred on all its diplomatic representatives abroad, including the staffs of nunciatures and apostolic delegations.

It was believed intended to clarify the situation of the Holy See's representatives abroad in view of Italy's status as a belligerent.

### Claim Fifteen Planes

ROME, Aug. 1.—(A Via Radio)—The Rome radio quoting a report from Tangiers, said today that fifteen British airplanes were destroyed in Italian air attacks on the fortress of Gibraltar Tuesday and Wednesday.

# International News

By The Associated Press.

The Battle of Britain—

Nazi air raiders pester United Kingdom night and day; one brought down; British say little new damage; Germans claim command of Channel, Dover harbor largely wrecked; say dive-bombing now can continue at will; Britain revamps land defense plans, but Berlin hints invasion attempt not imminent; German high command says five British fighters, two barrage balloons shot down, further damage done to British ports.

The Mediterranean—

The RAF announces sinking of two Italian submarines last month and intensive air raids on Italian troop concentrations near Kassala, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, for the last ten days; Italians report the sinking of a British destroyer July 28 and shooting down of two British planes over Malta as well as further air attacks in Kenya colony. Loss of one Italian plane was acknowledged.

Politics and Policy—

Japanese government proclaims new policy of totalitarianism at home and strong foreign policy for domination of French Indo-China and Dutch East Indies; Switzerland continued independence; Russian supreme Soviet meets to admit Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania into Soviet Union.

War in the Orient—

Chinese and Japanese war planes fight over Chungking; Japanese admiralty says U. S. ban on aviation gasoline is move against Japan.

The Western Hemisphere—

United States senate opponents of conscription unappeased by registration limit to ages 21 to 30; British warchaft hunt German raider in South Atlantic.

Personalities—

Duke and Duchess of Windsor sail today from Lisbon for New York en route to Bahamas.

## Thanks

**I take this method to thank you for the splendid support you gave me for Constable Precinct No. 1, and ask for your support in the run-off campaign.**

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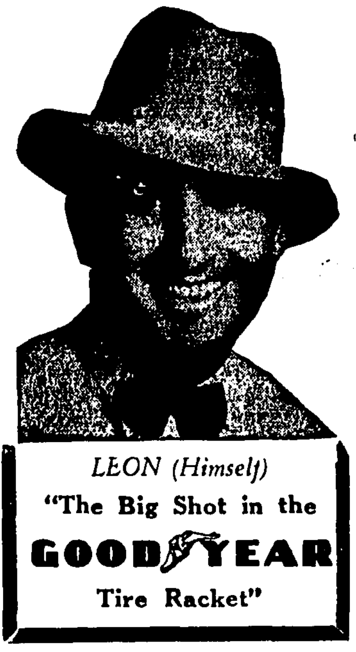

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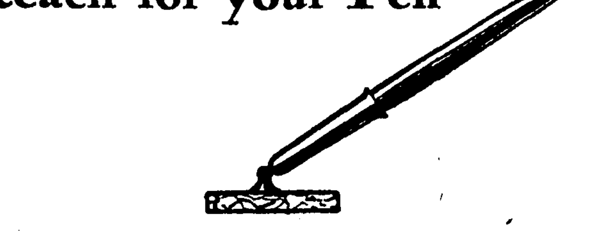

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## Judge James P. Alexander Thanks Voters

**Judge James P. Alexander of Waco, McLennan County, candidate for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, wishes to thank the voters of Navarro County for the magnificent majority they gave him on July 27th. Judge Alexander received 5,249 votes in Navarro County, which is more than three to one as compared with Judge Alexander's run-off opponent. The Navarro County vote is greatly appreciated, not only by Judge Alexander, but by those who campaigned in his behalf in this county.**

**Judge Alexander solicits the continued support and loyal interest of the people of Navarro County in the run-off campaign, ending with the second primary August 24th.**

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# MAN ARRESTED IN CONNECTION ROBBERY TWO TAXI DRIVERS

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 30.—(AP)—A new technique in highway robbery was described today by a one-legged, 17-year-old Canadian in a signed statement to E. W. Brown, assistant county attorney.

Jack Harness, arrested for the robbery of L. W. Fry, Oklahoma tax commission employe, told Brown he robbed two taxi-drivers in Corsicana, Tex., with a method "I just thought up."

"I stuck a penny on the end of my finger with gum, then pushed the penny in the back of the taxi drivers," Brown quoted Harness as saying.

Harness, who said his home was London, Ontario, Canada, told Brown he was released under $1,000 bond last Friday at Corsicana, where he was charged with automobile theft.

Jack Harness was named in two robbery with firearms complaints accepted by the criminal district attorney's office Monday afternoon and filed before Judge Pat Geraughty in connection with the robbery of two taxi drivers here last Friday night near Powell, officers reported Tuesday morning.

Sheriff Cap Curinpton revealed Harness had been arrested in Oklahoma City and had made statements to Oklahoma state patrolmen.

### Out on Bond

Harness was released from jail here Friday afternoon on bond, officers reported, on an auto theft charpe in connection with the theft of the C. A. Breithaupt automobile recently. Harness was arrested and the car recovered at El Paso.

Local officers were advised that an automobile belonging to Dal Terry of Corsicana had been abandoned in Oklahoma prior to the arrest of Harness and had not been reported recovered Tuesday, according to the purported statement by the accused man. Local officers said two robbery with firearms charges and an atuo theft complaint had been filed in Oklahoma.

### Taxi Drivers Robbed

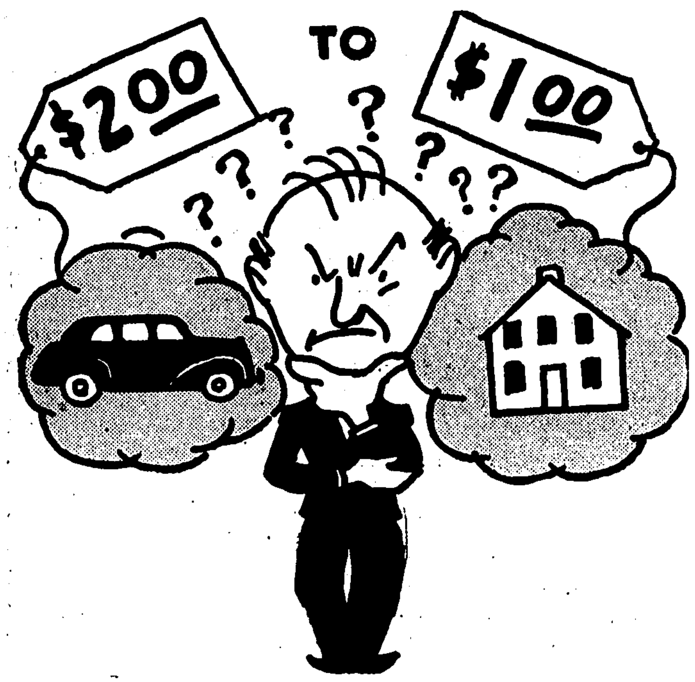
Carl Elmore, taxi-driver, was relieved of $1.20 and his taxi near Powell, he reported to officers Friday night. After carrying a passenger, he said, to near Powell, he was robbed and his assailant proceeded eastward a short distance and then turned around and returned toward Corsicana. The taxi was equipped with a speed governor and later was found abandoned in East Corsicana.

Terry was summoned by telephone and drove a passenger to a point near Powell where he was forced from his car, relieved of $22 and his hat and shoes. His automobile was driven eastward at a high rate of speed. The Terry car was a 1940 Ford V-8. Terry made his way to Powell and notified officers. Both Terry and Elmore reported to officers they were robbed after some instrument or gun was shoved into their backs.

## To My Friends and the General Public

**I appreciate the consideration that has been given me in my race for Justice of the Peace. I have friends and appreciate every one of them and always will be grateful to them.**

**PAT GERAUGHTY**
**(Pol. Adv.)**



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# PERSONALITY'S PRECIOUS PART IN PRESERVING DEMOCRACY *

## State of a Nation's Spirit But the Expression of People's Character — An Ancient Poet Contrasts Good and Evil Life — Spiritual Deductions From Present World Tragedy.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS

What is, has been. Today is but yesterday born again, in a new dress. We read the news from Europe and cry, "There never was such a war before." In magnitude and in methods and in machinery, that is true; but there have been many equally devastating conflicts in the world's long experience.

We see pictures of the plight of millions of today's refugees and war victims; but our imaginations are not equal to the vision of, say the Hebrew exiles to Babylon, or other historic Asiatic flights of the dispossessed. We are horrified by reports of atrocities; but there is no modern parallel to ancient practices; as when Assurbanipal flayed the population of a captured city, and covered the walls with their skins.

These are days to hold resolutely to a long perspective and to read the history books. And the Bible. For the continuing factor is human life. Nations may lose their identity; great cities may be wiped out; the lamps of civilization may grow dim, or go out and undreamed-of suffering may increase in the world. Still men and women will live on. How they will live, in their own immortal spirits, will determine the destiny of the world's long tomorrow. The preparedness that counts most in this day of decisions is the preparedness of human hearts. People must make their own personalities ready for anything.

### The Prepared Person

As we seek to take a long, long look at our day, as part of the world's timeless procession, we find ourselves turned by the assigned Sunday School lesson, to an ancient bit of counsel which has survived the centuries—the familiar First Psalm; which is a poem describing the good life and the evil life. This is a presentation of perpetual truth, which cannot be changed by any changing fashions. It holds good in war and in peace, in prosperity and in poverty. There are some persons who are "blessed," or "happy;" and there are some who are doomed to misery, all dependent upon the life they live and the ideals they pursue. John Oxenham caught the main idea in his familiar poem:

"To every man there openeth
A Way, and Ways, and a Way,
And the High Soul climbs the
High way
And the Low Soul gropes the Low,
And in between, on the misty
flats,
The rest drift to and fro.
But to every man there openeth
A High Way and a Low,
And every man decideth
The Way his soul shall go."

More urgent than the buying of a gas-mask, or a rifle, is a man's determination of "the Way his soul shall go." What goes on inside of a person is always more important than anything that happens outside of him. The final armament of victory is the armed soul.

### The Essence of Democracy

Strange interpretations of democracy are abroad, in these days when democracy is fighting for its very existence. Is there any one simple definition of democracy that can serve our time? I think so. Democracy requires that freedom of personality prevail. That is democracy—every man at liberty to express his own personality, in thought, in speech, in act; with none to hinder.

The Bible's conception of the good life is one that chooses freedom and righteousness and God. Scripture exalts personality by every means. The sacredness and elevation of the individual spirit is stamped upon it by its capacity for free choice. God did not set a lot of automatoms upon the earth; but liberated spirits, with the power to accept or reject even their Creator Himself. We have only to look about us on the present scene to know that men, as the price of the divinity within them, are at liberty to walk in the counsel of the wicked, to stand in the way of sinners, and to sit in the seat of the scornful. This column has often repeated that it is the divine right of every man to go to hell. Such is the perilous privilege of personality.

### Bricks for the State's Structure

Marshall Petain, of France, pointed out in a pathetic address, after admitting the defeat of his nation, that it was the quality of statesmanship and of the people's heedless life that had led to the great disaster. America's unpreparedness is likewise a consequence of the public state of mind. The truth is obvious that what the people are is the the State becomes. A superficial, frivolous, pleasure-seeking, money-loving, fleshly-minded population cannot function as a great democracy. As are the bricks, so will be the building.

This was as clear to the Psalmist ages ago as it is to the statesman and philosopher today. A sudden realization of this truth, under the influence of war's recent events, has released countless voices, counselling us to look well to our foundations of religion and spiritual democracy. The shortest, swiftest way to strengthen those qualities of national life which are our present hope, and to combat the sundry "isms" that threaten us, is to revive our ideals of personal Christian character. Godly men made these two nations of the western world; and only godly men can preserve them. Europe's totalitarian states departed from religion before they departed from democracy. Their assaults upon Christianity, as they well understood, were required if they were successfully to combat the democratic, Christian way of life. Every strengthening of our people's Christian character is a support for the ideals of freedom and personality for which we are ready to die.

### When the Mind Runs Free

What do you think about when your mind runs free, as in the sleepless hours of night? Answer me that question and I will tell you what sort of person you really are. Our unconscious mental reactions reveal our true selves. If we think only trivial thoughts, or naughty thoughts, we are trivial or wicked personalities. The Psalmist pictures the happy man as the one who delights in the Law of the Lord. "On His law doth he meditate day and night." Think noble thoughts and a noble life will be the natural consequences. "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." True prosperity attends the good man, even when his outward lot is bad.

But the bad man is without the great stabilizer; and "without God and without hope in the world." Faithfulness is the final failure.

### SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS

The great spirits of the past must command us in the tasks of the future—Woodrow Wilson.

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If our study does not directly or indirectly enrich the life of man, it is but a drawing of vanity with cart ropes, a weariness to the flesh, or at least a busy idleness.
—Edward Dowden.

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Come my friends,
'Tis not too late to seek a newer
world.
—Tennyson.

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Choice and service—in these are the whole of life.—Mark Hopkins.

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Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth.
—Ecclesiastes 12:1.

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The hunger after purely intellectual delights, the content with ideal possessions, cannot but be good for us in maintaining a wholesome balance of character and of faculties.
—James Russell Lowell.

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Ah, but a man's reach should exceed his grasp,
Or what's a Heaven for?
—Browning.

* The Sunday School Lesson for August 4 is "The Two Ways."—Psalm I; Matthew 7: 24-27.

## Work Started On Repairs to Hogan Bridge On Tuesday

Work on the repairs to the southern section and approach of the Hogan bridge, spanning Chambers creek on the Roane-Cratfield-Tupelo slab northeast of Corsicana, got under way Tuesday. The bridge was repaired and widened last year, but the extensive overflows and high water this spring and summer had undermined the south supports. The bridge will be lengthened, it has been reported.

## Thanks

**I wish to thank the people for their past support which enabled me to lead the ticket in the race for Constable, Precinct 1, and request your vote and influence in the run-off campaign.**

**CLARENCE POWELL, Constable.**
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# DISCUSSION PANAMA CANAL FEATURED AT ROTARY LUNCHEON

A geographical discussion of the area surrounding the Panama Canal in regard to the defense of the great waterway was given by Bill Elliott in an address before the Corsicana Rotary Club Wednesday noon at the Navarro Hotel.

The speaker gave a brief outline of the conception of the canal and the events that eventually led to its construction. He said that as far back as Balboa, discoverer of the Pacific ocean, there existed an old Indian legend of a waterway joining the two oceans located somewhere along the Isthmus of Panama. For many years, he said, explorers unsuccessfully attempted to find this route. Finally it was ascertained that no such waterway existed and plans were formulated by many men in connection with the construction of a canal.

The French undertook the project in 1850, the speaker said, and after sinking several fortunes into the work, finally abandoned it and sold their rights to the United States for 40 million dollars.

At the outset, the speaker said, American engineers estimated the total cost of the project would be $145,000,000, but when finally completed and opened in 1917, the total figure amounted to $397,000,00.

### Foreign Possessions.

The speaker discussed the foreign possessions lying near the canal and spoke briefly on the effect the Havana conference would have on these colonies. He said that it has now become clear to all Americans that the United States will have to maintain an army and navy second to none in order to successfully defend its own vast coastline and that of its Southern neighbors.

In response to several questions put forward from various members of the club at the conclusion of his address, Mr. Elliott said that the construction of the canal made it exceedingly difficult for an airplane to successfully bomb and destroy the locks. He said that destruction of the canal would be hard even by sabotage, adding, however, that no chances are being taken by the government in this respect.

Carl Anderson had charge of the program and introduced Mr. Elliott. Ralph R. Brown, president, presided. Miss Suzette McKinney was introduced as a guest.

## Smith Brothers And Sisters In Reunion At Rural Shade

Smith brothers and sisters had their annual reunion at Rural Shade Sunday, July 28, 1940. Picnic lunch was spread at lunch time. Pictures were taken in the afternoon and those who wanted watermelon ate at 4 o'clock.

We are expecting every one to be present next year. We will meet the last Sunday in July at Rural Shade.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and sons, Weldon and Ed, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, all of Winkler; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willard and daughter of Fairfield; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Byington and children, Franchelle, Billy and Bobby; Victor Ballard, Mrs. Lavonia Brownice, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith and children, Rose Lee, Maruse, Bobbie Fern and Lue Vone; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howell and children, Dorothy and Roy Faye; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moffitt and son, D. Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hale and son, Royce Allen; Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Morris and sons, Clifford Royce and Benny Earl; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and children; Mrs. Repta Smith, Robert Blake.

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## To My Many Friends

**And voters of Navarro County, Precinct No. 1: I take this opportunity to thank all of you for the splendid vote I received for the office of Commissioner in Saturday's Primary. I am sincerely grateful for this support and I assure you that your continued support and the support of the other candidates and their friends in the August Primary will be deeply appreciated.**

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## Error Noted In Richland Vote For Lloyd S. Prater

Lloyd S. Prater, candidate for commissioner of Precinct 3, received 80 votes in Richland instead of 8 as carried in the Daily Sun tabulation Monday. This gives him a total of 272 votes instead of 200.

Other candidates for the office were Jack Michaels who received 230 votes, F. M. Copeland, who received 289 votes; C. O. Slaughter, who got 572 votes and D. D. Sawyer who received 80 votes.

Copeland and Slaughter will enter the run-off primary, according to unofficial returns.

## Department And Division Chairmen 1940 Fair Meet

Division and department chairmen for the 1940 edition of the Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural Show held a meeting Tuesday morning to discuss preliminary plans for the annual exhibition to be held on September 24-28.

Another meeting is scheduled in the near future after the catalogs have been issued to make more definite plans for the fall show. All reported preliminary work well advanced, and numerous indications of another very successful show.

## Corn Growers Loans Called By Government

WASHINGTON, Puly 31.—(AP)—The Commodity Credit corporation announced today it was calling grower loans on all corn stored in warehouses.

Approximately 12,000,000,000 bushels is stored in warehouses in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas.

Growers wishing to redeem their corn by paying loans must do so by August 5. Grain not redeemed will be taken over by the government and made available for export under its subsidy program.

## Tommy Joe Flippen Honoree of Lovely Shower At Roane

Miss Tommy Joe Flippen of Ferris was the honoree at a lovely bridal shower given at the home of Mrs. J. R. Estes of Roane, Tuesday afternoon, July 23, at four o'clock.

A yellow and white color theme was carried out with yellow marigolds and white zinnias placed throughout the spacious home.

Miss Flora Nell Knotts presided at the guest book with Mrs. Harry Fluker giving the toast to the bride. Mrs. A. Q. Thornton read "An Ode to an Egg" in a very humorous style.

Mrs. Hays Fausett conducted a number of games pertaining to kitchen utensils and recipes for the bride. After the gifts were opened by the bride and viewed by the guests, a lovely refreshment plate of orange punch and cake was served by the hostess, assisted by former pupils of the honoree.

Plate favors were yellow and white daisies.

Mrs. Flippen has been a much loved teacher in the Roane school for the past two years and it is with sincere regret by both patrons and pupils that she is resigning her position.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Flippen of Ferris and a graduate of the Ferris High School and Trinity University.

Her marriage to Joe Mitchell of Ennis was solemnized Thursday morning, July 25, at eight o'clock in the chapel at Trinity University.

The bridegroom is also a graduate of Trinity University and former football star.

After a short wedding trip to Hot Springs they will reside in Ennis where Mr. Mitchell is coach of the Ennis High school and member of the faculty.—Contributed.

## Thanks

**I wish to take this means to thank you for your vote during the recent election. I will be in the race for County Treasurer two years from now and will appreciate you remembering me.**

**W. J. (JINKS) BRYAN,**
**Son of Uncle Dick Bryan.**
**(Pol. Adv.)**

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# REMODELED IDEAL TO OPEN SATURDAY SPECIAL PROGRAM

Completely remodeled and redecorated with new and modern equipment installed the Ideal Theatre will be formally re-opened Saturday night, Aug. 3, at 7:30 according to announcement by Terry McCary, local manager Texas Consolidated Theaters.

"I Cant Give You Anything But Love' will be the opening attraction.

Every convenience for the comfort of the theater going public has been installed in the playhouse, including modern heating and cooling systems, and the latest sound and projection equipment. The new upholstered seats are the most comfortable design available.

Programs will be changed four times weekly, Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, the manager said.

## Nineteen F. F. A. Youths of Blooming Grove Attend Camp

Nineteen F. F. A. boys and their teacher, M. S. Hammack, of Blooming Grove, returned home Saturday from Lake Worth where they have been attending a three-day encampment of the Area V, Future Farmers of America.

While there the group toured the various industrial and recreational centers of Fort Worth, in addition to participating in an extensive programm at the camp. The trip marked the final activity of the Blooming Grove chapter for the season.

## Infant Was Buried Tuesday Morning

Funeral services were held at Oakwood cemetery Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilson. The baby died at the P. and S. Hospital Monday.

Surviving are the parents, two brothers and two sisters.

Corley Funeral Home directed teh arrangements.

**Special Saturday**
**Betty Crocker**
**Angel Food Cake**
**Regular 40c Value**
**25c each**
**Collin Street Bakery**

## Bob Jones Charged In Big Bond Case; Released On Bail

DALLAS, July 31.—(AP)—Bob Jones of Corsicana yesterday pleaded innocent before United States Commissioner John Davis when arraigned on a charge of obtaining $53,600 in foreign government bonds from Mrs. D. B. Flagg, Sioux City, Ia., and transporting them in interstate commerce.

Jones, the third man to be arraigned on the charge, waived his hearing which was set forr Thursday at 2 p. m. and was released on bond of $4,000. Ned Davis, arrested in Flagstaff, Arizona, several weeks ago, and George W. Pollan of Rice, Navarro county, are the other two charged. Four more remain to be apprehended.

## Native of Navarro County Buried At Bardwell Monday

ENNIS, July 30.—Funeral services for Ira Dee Hale, aged 60 years, resident of Ellis and Navarro counties practically all his life, were held at Bardwell Monday afternoon. He died at his home here Sunday.

A native of Blooming Grove, he had resided at Rice and Trinidad prior to moving to Ennis three years ago.

Surviving are his wife, eight children, mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, Brownsboro, and a brother, William Henry Hale, Brownsboro.

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# FUTURE FARMERS OF EMHOUSE ATTENDED LAKE WORTH MEET

Eighteen Future Farmers of the Emhouse chapter, accompanied by Quinten S. Mathews, teacher of vocational agriculture, attended the three-day encampment at Lake Worth last week. About 750 Future Farmers of Area 5 attended the encampment at the beautiful lake. During the entire stay the boys enjoyed and were occupied by various events such as swimming, diving, softball games, horseshoe pitching, and other events. The Emhouse boys made a very good showing in softball competition.

The following made the trip to Lake Worth: Clarence Ray, Sonny Beckham, Calvin Rich, Billy J. DeRusha, Harold Gray, R. M. Drain, Comack Watkins, O. E. Allen, Merrill Brown, O. L. Elkins, Virgil Jackson, E. O. Vest, Rob Beard, James Earl McMillen, Vernon Tallent, Walton W. McNil, Henry Derden, Garvin Ray and Quinten S. Mathews, advisor.

### Fall Fractures Arm.

KERENS, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mrs. W. S. Price received a fall from slipping on a rug at her home here Monday afternoon, which caused fractures of her right arm in three places. She was rushed to the Navarro Clinic, where medical air was rendered, and at last reports was resting and free of pain.

### THANKS.

I wish to sincerely thank the many friends who supported me in my race for Commissioner Precinct No. 4. In the second primary I will appreciate your continued support, and I solicit the vote of all others. Thank you.

J. N. (Joe) GEORGE.
(Pol. Adv.)

## To The Voters Of Precinct No. 1

**I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the voters of this precinct for their support in the primary last Saturday. I solicit your further support in the second primary, Aug. 24th, also the support of the voters whose friends were eliminated in the first primary.**

**T. P. (Pink) Hayes**
(Political Advertisement)

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| **Sliced Bacon** | Sugar Cure Rind On | Pound | **15c** |
| **Pork Steak** | Lean Cuts | Pound | **15c** |
| **Cheese** | Longhorn Full Cream | Pound | **19c** |
| **Smoked Jowls** | | Pound | **10c** |

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FRESH
**LETTUCE**
Iceberg
**3** Large Heads **10c**

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| **Limes** | Yellow Mexican | Dozen | **10c** |
| **Oranges** | Sunkist California | Dozen | **15c** |
| **Bananas** | Yellow Fruit | Dozen | **12c** |
| **Carrots** | Fresh Colorado | 2 Bnchs | **5c** |
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## FASCIST FRANCE

Few Americans expected ever to see this day in France, with the nation which produced the French Revolution and upheld American democracy in our infancy becoming a corporate or Fascist or totalitarian state.

It has made our people realize, perhaps more than any other recent event, the suddenness with which a free people may lose its liberty. And it emphasizes the growing scope of political darkness and tyranny in a world that we used to think was all destined for eventual freedom.

Count the democracies now left in the world, outside of this hemisphere. The fingers of one hand are enough. And if England goes under, will there be any self-determination left in the other continents?

## SUMMER READING

The old question is up again: What sort of reading should people do in the summer time? And the usual prescription of "light reading" in the form of thin fiction and gently humorous works is varied a little. For once, the highbrows have the courage to horn into this discussion; and, as usual with such trouble-makers, they insist on heavy stuff.

Prof. Mortimer J. Adler, for instance, not only calls for solid reading but wants the readers to attack the books in a serious, even professional way, and mark them all up. He insists on the reader providing himself with a battery of pencils or fountain pens and scribbling his own lofty reactions all over the page margins, and underlining the particularly true or false parts, and in general doing a critical job on the opus and adding precious thoughts to the authors' own, and indulging in a scholarly fight from cover to cover.

Oh, well, everybody has his own idea if a good time, and in America at least, it's still a free world. If Nero fiddled while Rome burned, any of us who are so inclined doubtless have a right to scrawl over and mess up nice clean books, with observations that neither we nor anybody else will ever look at again. But we have a notion that most of our reading, at least as far as the men are concerned, will be war headlines and sporting pages—without marginal annotations.

## POPULATION CHANGES

People still move around considerably in this country, and population figures change surprisingly. Perhaps the most interesting development of the last decade, as shown by the new census, is the growth of cities in the South and West, compared with those of the North and East.

There are, for instance, Yonkers, N. Y., and Savannah, Ga. In 1920 the former had 100,000 people and the latter 83,000. In the next decade Yonkers gained 35,000 while Savannah gained less than 2,000. Such a ratio of gain was considered about normal for northern and southern cities. But then something began to happen. In this last decade Yonkers gained less than 8,000 people and Savannah gained more than 10,000.

It seems to figure out like this: In one decade Yonkers grew 10 times as fast as Savannah in ratio to population, and in the next decade Savannah grew twice as fast as Yonkers. Anybody can see about how that would work out if the trends continued for two or three more decades.

A New York Times writer, mulling over the national census reports available, observes that the cities of the South and West are now having their turn at growth as compared with the North and East. Not that the North and East are necessarily losing in essential things, but the other areas are now having a better chance, and population and prosperity seem to be spreading around more evenly.

## JUST FOLKS

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### FATHER

A father is a fellow with a lot
of curious ways,
The best that's said about him
is the monthly bill he pays.
But his notions are old-fashioned,
as so frequently he's told,
And (he'll prove it by the label)
all his suits are five years
old.

The mother and the daughters often smile when he's about.
He's awkward and he's dowdy,
but he's such a good old
scout!
He has no idea of color or of
fashions up-to-date,
His trouser knees are baggy and
his neckties never straight.

A father is the fellow who needs
watching day by day.
If the family didn't warn him
he'd get lost upon the way.
He would always be in trouble,
as they frequently allow
If his loved ones didn't tell what
to do and when and how.

A father doesn't really know
what's going on at all.
It's a different world entirely
from the one that he'll recall.
He thinks twelve o'clock is late
enough for children to be out.
But somehow they seem to love
him, for he's such a good old
scout.

## THE WORLD AND ENGLAND

The Cleveland Trust Company, in its current mid-monthly business bulletin, says the answers to nearly all important business questions today depend primarily on the progress and the outcome of the Nazi attempt to invade England. Colonel Ayes, vice president and economist of the institution, explains it this way.

"The writer of these paragraphs has been asked to express opinions and judgments on 10 questions in addition to those involved in his regular duties.

"These problems include the probable trend of interest rates to the end of next year, the probable action of stock prices in July and August, the long-term effects of the rearmament program on our durable goods industries after the program has slowed down, the question as to whether our foreign trade is likely to continue to contract, and the relative advantages of financing a plant expansion by a bank loan, or by an RFC loan.

"Others are a request for an opinion on the probability of demonetization of gold throughout Europe, an opinion on a plan for a commodity dollar in that event, a policy for a company selling stone suitable for monumental buildings in this period when no one seems to be planning to build such structures, the question as to whether the floating of an issue of railroad equipment trust securities should be accelerated or retarded, and an opinion as to the likelihood of a shortage of available cars next autumn."

The answers are not available, says the authority. They all depend on what happens to England, for what happens there will affect all Europe and all the world. Whether we like it or not, "the fate of England is our most important problem today." Watch England, is his advice to the questioners. Isolationists might do the same.

We have seldom lacked prophets of disaster who saw ahead only too well. Floyd Gibbons, for example, foresaw the world's present mess when he wrote "The Red Napoleon" 11 years ago.

France was full of food; but now that Hitler is in charge there, the American Red Cross—as usual—has to feed the people.

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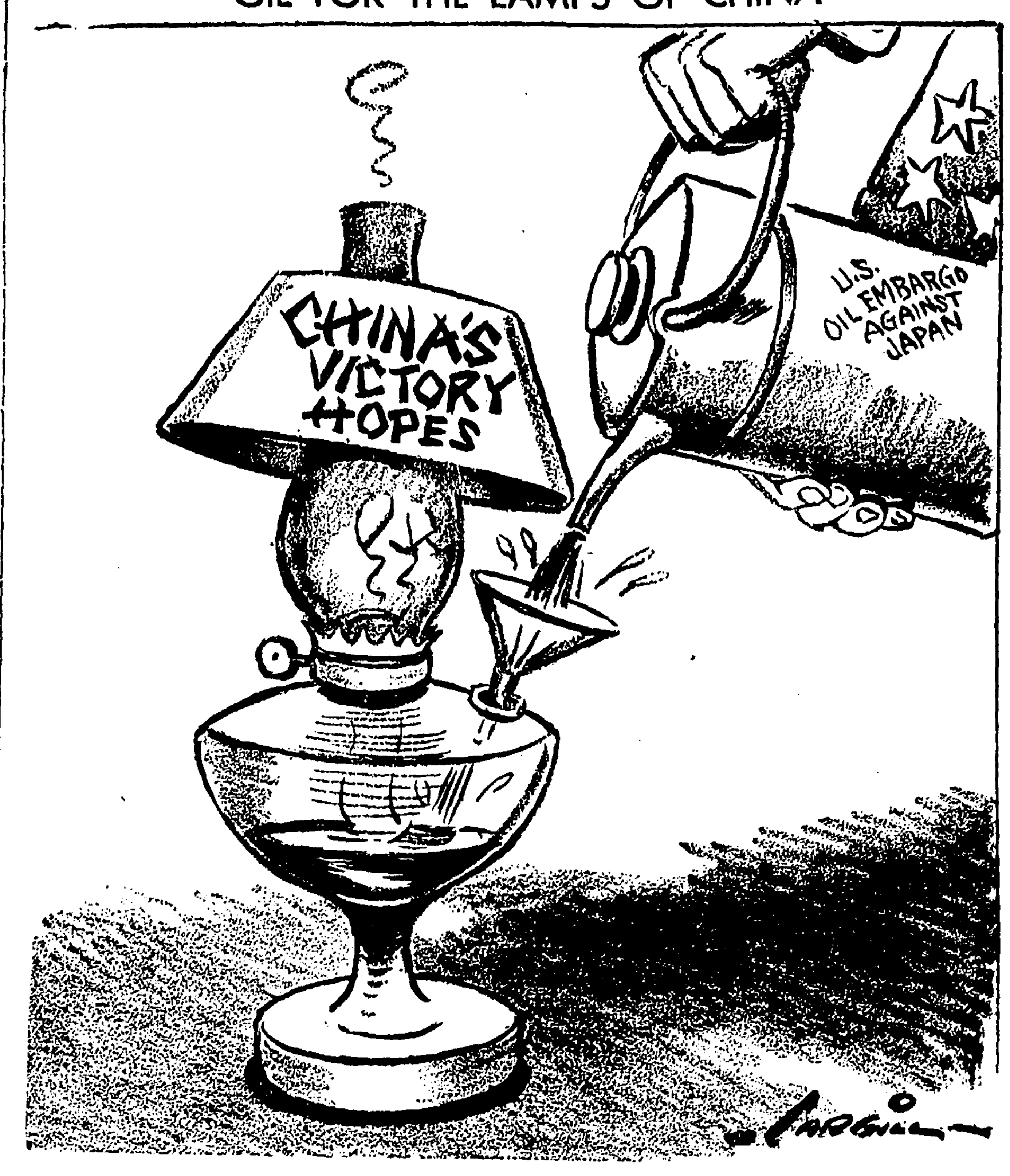
CHINA'S VICTORY HOPES
U.S. OIL EMBARGO AGAINST JAPAN

# ACTIVITIES OFFICE ATTORNEY GENERAL DISCUSSED BY MANN

## STATE OFFICIAL TOURING STATE MAKING NUMBER OF ADDRESSES

"I sacrificed no principle to gain this office and I'll sacrifice no principle to keep it" is the motto placed in the attorney general's office in Austin prior to taking the oath of office by Gerald C. Mann, attorney general.

In an address at the courthouse Tuesday night, the youthful attorney general declared that was still the motto of his department and personnel and would continue to be so long as he was in office.

His talk to a small crowd here was one of a series of short addresses being given throughout the state by Mann during the period when the courts are in vacation, and he plans to continue to carry his report on stewardship to the people throughout the Lone Star State during August.

"I'll be back on the job as your lawyer in September," he declared. Several appearances are made daily. He left Corsicana early Tuesday night for Mexia where he was scheduled to speak Wednesday morning. Jack Dillard, editor of the Mexia Daily News, was here and accompanied him to the Limestone county city. Addresses were made Tuesday at Mineola, Wills Point, Terrell, Kaufman and Athens before his appearance here.

**Appreciates Support.**

Mann declared he wanted to carry his message to the people "who do not come to Austin," and to thank them for their support two years ago, and to explain the varied duties imposed and carried out by his department. He asserted he could do better work and keep his feet more firmly on the ground after looking into the faces and talking to the people.

The attorney general referred to the duties in writing opinions for the guidance of the county officials of the 254 counties through the county and district attorneys and auditors. That department also represents the banking department treasurer, comptroller of public accounts, education, board of control and the various state institutions operated by that division, the University of Texas, Texas A. and M. College and teachers colleges, land board, leasing board and other divisions of the state government.

**Written Many Opinions.**

Mann said his department had written approximately 2,500 opinions during the past 17 months, and that his office was the biggest law firm in Texas. He emphasized his declaration he would procure the services of the best attorneys available during his first campiagn and said he had done what he had promised. He referred to assistants, including Judge W. F. Moore, of Paris, George Barcus of Waco, Grover Sellers of Texarkana, Ocie Speer, all former members of appellate courts of Texas; Albert Rawlins, Hunt County, and a number of young lawyers, including D. Burle Daviss of Corsicana, who 'have proven themselves to be real lawyers and conscientious workers."

Turning his attention to the success of his department in appealed decisions to the higher courts, General Mann said that four out of five cases carried to the Supreme court of the United States had been won by the state; seventeen out of nineteen cases carried to the Texas Supreme court had been decided in his favor; and sixty out of 78 cases before the courts of civil appeals had been won.

"We have endeavored to enforce the law and not operate a political office in the attorney generals department, he continued, and then stated the law should be enforced because it is the law. The wisdom of a law is up to the legislature, he continued.

"Were not concerned with public opinion or demands of organized minorities, but whether propositions violate the fundamental law of the land, Mann asserted.

**Laws Enforced.**

Anti-trust laws have been enforced as strongly as possible, he continued and referred to the collection of stiff fines and penalties. He said much pressure had been brought on his department in certain instances, but that has been ignored and the law followed, Mann continued, and the big and little fellow is entitled to and receives the same consideration in that office.

The suit to recover the 346,000-acre Padre Island for the State was discussed along with the chain-store tax, cigarette provisions, etc. Mann emphasized that 40 insurance companies using money for the officials instead of for the benefit of those paying the premiums had gone out of business in Texas since he had assumed office.

Suits against the pollution of streams and underground water supplies from salt water from oil wells were discussed.

"There is no living man in Texas who can walk into the attorneys office and say to do or not to do this or that. If my conscience was not clear, I would not want the office," and then he again emphasized his purpose to continue the same principles and conduct as in the past, and closed his address by repeating the famous motto in his office.

# THOMAS E. BLISSETT DIED TUESDAY AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Thomas E. Blissett, aged 66, employe of the city for many years, died at his home, 811 East Ninth avenue, Tuesda yafternoon after a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Second Baptist church. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. E. O. Stewart, pastor of the church.

Surviving are his wife, two brothers, John H. Blissett, Kerens, and Wm. Blissett, Corsicana; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Roy Neece, Clyde Brooks, J. E. Grimes, Jimmie Tallman, Jimmie Stewart and C. L. Lennon.

Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Returns to Kerens.**

KERENS, July 30—(Spl.)—Rachel Kerley, who has been in Houston for the past two years, is again at home, since his appointment as district manager of the Security Life Insurance Co. of Temple. He is now in a newly opened office in town.

# J. N. EDENS HOST TO FARM BOYS TUESDAY ANNUAL BARBECUE

## OVER TWO HUNDRED FIFTY PRESENT PARTICIPATE IN PROGRAM

Well over two hundred and fifty farm boys of Navarro county members of 4-H clubs and Future Farmer Chapters with their teachers and advisors, were guests of J. N. Edens, Corsicana banker and livestock breeder, at their annual barbecue at the grounds of the Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural Show Tuesday.

George W. Barnes, beef specialist for the extension service of Texas A. and M. College, was the chief guest speaker of the day, and climaxed two days of inspection of the various calves being fed by the boys for showing at the annual fair, September 24-28, with a demonstration of proper methods of grooming and showing the animals in the show or sale ring.

The day started with a swimming party at the Magnolia Lake under the supervision of John A. Pierce and C. F. Broughton, and the boys then moved to the fair grounds. A few short talks were made before the noon hour when a big barbecue luncheon was served. Then followed a recreation period with entertainment features supplied by members of various clubs and chapters.

A. P. Bralley, assistant county agent in charge of boys' activities, was master of ceremonies for the afternoon and presented the host, Mr. Edens, members of the Navarro County Hereford Breeders Association including Mr. Edens, Fred M. Allison, Sr., and W. E. McKinney; F. C. Robinson, county agent, who started the boys' work in the county; R. W. Knight, manager of the Corsicana chamber of commerce and assistant secretary of the fair association; Frank Reeves, Sr., livestock editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and others.

In a short talk before his grooming demonstration Mr. Barnes urged the boys to keep chickens out of their calves' feed troughs and drinking water, and to start training their animals now for the show some sixty days away. He then took a specimen calf and showed how he should be groomed for the show or sale ring. He was aided by Charles Henry Harrison, and A. T. Smith, Jr., both prize winners in recent years in fair calf shows.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

# FARMERS OF COUNTY NOW BUSY BUILDING TERRACES ON FARMS

Farmers co-operating with the local CCC camp are now busy constructing terraces on strips of broadcast crops which have recently been harvested. Terraces laid off for strip crops in 1937 on the Church and Wilkerson farm (West Ranch) approximately two miles southeast of Richland, are being built this week.

Strip cropping not only affords the farmer the opportunity to build his terraces at this time of year when he is not rushed and without disturbing his cotton and corn, but permits him to take advantage of an economy in working the soil when it works best. Most clays such as Wilson and Houston which are prevalent in Navarro County are difficult to work unless moisture content is rather low.

Another good feature of strip cropping is the soil and moisture conservation ability. It was noted that water which passed through strips deposited its load of silt at the upper edge. When this was done water left the strips flowing slower. Experiments have shown that one tenth of one per cent by weight of fine sand, which is the amount that would be blown in an ordinary windstorm, when added to flowing clear water increases the speed of flow by five per cent. This is an important point in the use of strips, in that soil can be left on the farm while terrace outlet protection is being established.

## Fine Showing of Produce Grown By Corsicanan Shown

Elmer S. Purifoy, truck farmer living on West Fourth avenue, brought to the Daily Sun office Wednesday morning a variety of products he has raised this year. Included in the list were two varieties of cantaloupes, a cucumber that weighed three pounds and six ounces and measured 10 inches in length and 12 1-2 inches in circumference; three varieties of peas, two varieties of corn, the Silver Mine and Yellow Dent, and three varieties of okra.

All were exceptionally fine. The corn had two well developed ears on each stalk.

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PAUL MILLER
-- For --
County Judge
Thank You
(Political Advertisement)

To The Citizens Of Navarro County:

Your vote for me on last Saturday makes me most humble. I need your continued support in the Second Primary, for which I shall be most grateful.

Sincerely,
HALLEY BLAKE
(Political Advertisement)

To The People Of Navarro County

I wish to take this means of expressing my sincere appreciation to you for the overwhelming majority which you gave me in my race for a second term as Criminal District Attorney. My assistants and I stand ready to serve you at all times.

In fairness to myself, I wish to answer the last minute charge made against me in regard to the delinquent tax situation which I have not had an opportunity until now to answer in this paper. I do this in order to keep the record straight. The charge was never mentioned until the day before the election. Early in 1939 I told the Commissioners' Court that I thought delinquent taxes should be collected by an assistant working out of my office on a salary basis. I refused to sign a waver in 1939 when the Commissioners' Court let a contract for delinquent tax collections on a commission basis. The court was able to make the contract by complying with the legel formality of serving a notice upon me. The contract provided that the delinquent tax collector would get his commission even after his contract expired in June, 1940, provided he had filed suits prior to that date. In March, 1940, the Commissioners' Court desired to extend the contract for six months in order to make it unnecessary for suits to be filed against everyone by June 30, 1940. I signed a waiver in March, 1940, in order to make the extension of the contract possible without delay and in order to make unnecessary the filing of a large number of tax suits before June 30, 1940.

Trusting that this statement of the TRUE facts clears up any doubt that you might have, and thanking you again for your support, I am,

Respectfully yours,
Charles T. Banister
(Pol. Adv.)

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THANK YOU

And just as soon as possible I will be around and express my appreciation personally, and ask you as courteously as I know how for your support in the Second Democratic Primary.

North, South, East and West, the people who live out in the County have very definitely signified their choice for County Judge, and I sincerely believe the opportunity is at hand when complete co-operation of the citizens of Navarro County is possible.

E. D. (Ditt) McCormick
(Political Advertisement)

Heels Run Down

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# MEMPHIS COTTON EXCHANGE HANDLED GREAT DEAL COTTON

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 31.—(AP)—Selling 3,190,665 bales for a net total of $88,167,373 during the 1939-40 season ending yesterday, the Memphis cotton exchange handled more cotton than "virtually" all the other nine "spot markets" combined, a Commercial Appeal analysis said.

The total in bales sold was the highest in the history of the Memphis market, and set 13 new market records. The net total was $38,442,479 higher than last year, but far under the all-time high of 1912 20 of $118,376,300.

Sales for other spot cotton markets reported were: Houston 1,227,095 bales; Little Rock 184,273 bales; Norfolk 13,740 bales; Augusta 114,205 bales; Savannah 15,142 bales; Montgomery 50,000 bales; Dallas 1,363,421 bales; New Orleans 890,941, and Galveston 150,560.

# NEW COTTON SEASON OPENS IN MIDST PREDICTIONS THAT COMING YEAR WILL SHOW HEAVY DECLINE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—After gaining a sales peak, a new cotton marketing season began today with prospects of a dip that worried producers and federal farm officials.

By custom, the cotton marketing season opens August 1—about the time that the new crop starts to market in volume.

In a decade of sharp ups and downs, the season which closed yesterday was one of the best. Sales totaled about 13,800,000 bales, or 3,800,000 bales more than in the previous season. Exports amounted to 6,200,000 bales, the largest volume since 1933, after having fallen to 3,327,000 in the previous season.

But cotton experts in the agriculture department predict a toboggan-like slide for foreign sales during the new season. They expect exports to drop below the 3,000,000-bale mark because countries to which the United States normally sells half its exports cannot be reached on account of the European war and the British blockade.

Only Great Britain and Japan remain as sizeable customers, and neither is likely to buy heavily this season. Both have accumulated large reserves and are curtailing civilian consumption of cotton products.

Officials said the dark export prospects would necessitate a federal program under which unexportable surpluses of this year's crop would be withdrawn from market channels and stored under government loans.

Uncle Sam now has about $500,000,000 invested in 8,900,000 bales of surplus cotton stored under similar programs in previous years. A year ago loan stocks totaled 11,250,000 bales. This reduction—which may be wiped out this season—came about as a result of the sharp increase in exports during the past season.

## CONFISCATIONS

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of France's leading industrialists, political leaders and journalists.

Among them were deputies Harri Mayer, of the international banking firm of Lazard Freres; and Edouard Jonas, widely known Paris antique dealer; Louis Rosengart, automobile manufacturer; M. Solenski, one of France's largest hat makers, Raoul Ruchard, a leading industrialist; M. Huysman and M. Coen, directors of the Beaux arts and national library; M. Letican furniture and radio magnate; and Louis Louis-Dreyfus, banker and importer.

**Journalists Included**

Journalists included were Elie J. Bois, publisher of Le Petit Parisien; Madame Genevieve Tabois, foreign editor of L'Oeuvre; Pierre Lazareff and Joseph Kessel, of Paris-Soir; Henri De Kerillis and Andre Geraud.

(Geraud, who writes under the name "Pertinax," and Madame Tabois, are in the United States).

"Persons in this list may yet try to explain why they left France between May 10 and June 30 in order to retain their French citizenship and prevent confiscation of their property," the Vichy radio said.

"The composition of the provisional list appears to confirm rumors prevalent here for some time that drastic measures are to be taken above all against persons of the Jewish race who engaged in activities detrimental to French national interests.

"As a great part of those on the list are of the Jewish race it appears certain their interests in France will be confiscated by the state unless they can prove their interests served only France, which according to opinion prevalent here, will prove extremely difficult x x x."

## Frenchmen Lose Citizenship, Wealth

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—(AP)—(Via Radio)—The German radio announced today that Baron Maurice De Rothschild, a French senator and member of the internationally known banking family, was among the Frenchmen deprived of their citizenship and properties by the Petain government for having fled France.

Others in the list announced today by the French radio and rebroadcast by the German station included:

Deputies Harri Mayer, of the banking firm of Lazare and Company; Edouard Jenoce, widely known Paris antique dealer; Louis Rosengart, manufacturer of midget automobiles; M. Solenski, one of France's largest hat makers; and Raoul Buchard, a leading industrialist.

(Baron Maurice Rothschild arrived at a Scottish port with 300 other refugees from France on July 8. Another member of the Rothschild family, Baron Edouard, arrived in New York aboard a clipper plane July 10 with Baroness Rothschild and their daughter, Bethsabee.)

### Freestone Youth Held Here.

A 13-year old Freestone county youth alleged to have taken his uncle's automobile at Streetman without permission, was taken into custody by officers early Thursday morning and at request of relatives was placed in the county jail until they could come for him, according to information received from city officials.

## MACKENZIE

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noting this historic development. During comparatively recent months I have talked in numerous colleges and universities, including Yale, Vassar, West Virginia, Duke, Syracuse, Georgia and Hamilton. Everywhere it has been the same—this eager surge of youth for a place in the civic sun. This has been true not only in the schools but elsewhere.

A little experience I had at Hamilton college illustrates my point. After I had spoken on foreign affairs to an audience in the chapel, I was invited to go to one of the fraternity houses and answer questions by students.

Some thirty fine young fellows established me in a big, thronelike chair in a corner of the living room, and than gathered about me in a semicircle on the floor. One of them came and sat beside me to act as spokesman.

"What have you to offer us?" he asked.

"Do you mean as to the prospect of having to go to war?"

"Not especially," he replied. "But where do we fit into this changing world?"

There spoke the new American youth.

## Mexico to Make Known Valuation Seized Oil Firms

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Oil circles reported today the government's official evaluation of American, British and Dutch petroleum properties expropriated in 1938 would be made public within a few days.

On the basis of this evaluation the government has announced it would indemnify the private companies for their seized holdings. The companies have insisted on a valuation in the neghborhood of 400 million dollars while the government mentioned the figures as low as 12 million dollars.

## WRECK

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"With Engineman Murtough and Conductor (Harry) Shafer of the motor car badly injured in Akron hospitals, and with Baggagemaster (Charles) Bilderback dead, it is impossible to determine now why these orders were disobeyed."

The freight train, northbound from Columbus, O., telescoped the fore end of the 122,000-pound coach, and shoved it back in its wake for 200 yards. Flames spurted from the windows as its 250-gallon gasoline tanks exploded. Firemen poured water into the coach. Then they and volunteers went about the sickening two-hour task of removing bodies, many so burned that identification was difficult.

Coroner R. E. Amos, seeking to clear up the identifications, said the passengers "didn't have a chance in the world" to escape.

**Heard No Screams**

Spectators related that flames enveloped the coach so fast that none of the passengers could escape. One was standing nearby said he heard no screams.

Officials estimated eight of the dead were railroad employes "deadheading" home after concluding their runs. Most of the passengers victims were residents of the Akron district.

Two enginemen on the freight train, which had two locomotives, were burned slightly as they fled the flames after braking to a trop.

Engineer O. M. Lodge, of Columbus, O., on the lead locomotive, said:

"I had the signal to go ahead at Akron station. I was going straight through when I saw the Doodlebug coming around the bend. I blew my whistle and tried to slow down. I was no use.

"When the crash came, burning gasoline was thrown up into my cab. It burned my face. I jumped back and went over the coal car to escape the flames.

It was the second big American railroad tragedy in four months. Thirty-one persons died in the wreck of the New York Central's Lake Shore limited at Little Falls, N. Y., April 19.

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By The Associated Press

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# TWENTY-FIVE MEN FROM THIS SECTOR ASSIGNED TO ARMY

## LOCAL RECRUITING OFFICE ACCEPTED NUMEROUS RECRUITS DURING JULY

Twenty-five men from Navarro and surrounding counties were assigned to army training camps during the month of July, Sgt. M. A. Strickland, in charge of the local army rercruiting office in the post office building, has revealed. Several other men and boys have enlisted, but have not been assigned and sent to their camps.

The recruiting officer repeorted there are vacancies at the present time in field artillery, infantry and cavalry units of the Army.

Those enlisting and assigned in July were:

Cecil R. Wells, Corsicana R. 4, air corps, Brooks Field, Texas; David C. Clark, Teague, air corps, Brooks Field, Texas; A. D. Alexander, Jr., Ennis, air corps, Brooks Field, Texas; Jack W. Smalling, Corsicana, air corps, Brooks Field, Texas; Vivian A. Cope, Teague, air corps, Brooks Field; Alfred M. Willoughby, Ennis, inftntry, Fort Sam Houston; J. C. Nunns, Ennis, infantry, Fort Sam Houston; John W. Wilkinson, Eustace, infantry, Fort Sam Houston.

Langston C. Matthews, Corsicana, air corps, Brooks Field; Melvin E. Miller, Corsicana, air corps, Brooks Field; Roy E. Corder, Trinidad, infantry, Fort Sam Houston; Victor N. Crowley, Jr., Kerens air corps Brooks Field; Banjamin M. Daniel, Corsicana, field artillery, Fort Sill, Okla.; Morris L. Massey Corsicana, field artillery, Fort Sill; Maynard M. Byers, Purdon, coast artillery, Fort Rosecrans Calif.

Luther R. Lusk, Ennis, coast artillery, Fort Fort Rosecrans; Wiley C. Whatley field artillery, Fort Bliss, Tex.; Steve E. Hitt, Blooming Grove, cavalry, Fort Clark, Texas; William M. Jones, Richland, cavalry, Fort Clark; George T. Jackson Streetman, cavalry, Fort Clark; Eldon G. Tipping, Purdon, cavalry, Fort Ringgold Texas; Robert L. Follis, Purdon, cavalry, Fort Ringgold; Otha Q. Miller, Richland, infanty, Fort Sam Houston; Vladis Lucon, Ennis, infantry, Fort Sam Houston, and Eddie V. Hawkins, Kerens, cavalry Fort Clark.

# NAVARRO COUNTY YOUTH IN MARINES SERVING IN CHINA

DALLAS, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—James E. Hinkle, son of Mrs. Edwyna Hinkle of Route 2, Barry, Texas, having enlisted in the U. S. Marines on September 26, 1939, has arrived in Tientsin, China, and joined the Marine Detachment there. Hinkle arrived from the Marine Barracks, Navy Yard, Mare Island, California, on board the Naval Transport Henderson.

Hinkle will be on duty in China from two to three years and will have an opportunity to acquaint himself with the Chinese, Japanese, Russian, French, Italian and German languages and people. He is scheduled to visit the ancient capitol of Cathey —Peking—where he will have the opportunity to see the ancient temples and pagodas that attract so many tourists from all over the world every year. He is considered a good rifle shot and for this reason he will spend two weeks in Chinwangtao, China, a city about 200 miles east of Tientsin and on the northern coast of the Yellow Sea, where his company will be engaged in machine gun practice at our naval reservation. From Chinwangtao, he will make a trip to Shanhaikuan, which is on the border of China and Manchukuo where the Great wall of China meets the Yellow sea.

**Mother and Son Return Home.**

KERENS, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Marvin Henderson and young son, Marvin, Jr., have returned to their home "Shoestring Farm," from the P. and S. Hospital, where the young man arrived about a week ago. Mrs. Henderson was, before her marriage, Miss Beatrice Crowley of Kerens.

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# HEALTH, BEAUTY AND POISE

By VERONICA DENGEL

### FROM THE MAIL BAG

V. H. writes: I had an operation about five months ago, and every one tells me I am bound to get fat. There is one thing I should like to do—and that is to let them see that there is another way out. Of course, I am picking up quite a good bit, but I feel so sure it can be avoided.

Veronica Dengel

Resignation to the idea that you must become fat after an operation is just plain foolishness. In the past—and at present, too, many women do put on pounds and pounds after operation; but only in cases where there is gland disturbance is this unavoidable. The real reason they put on so much excess weight is "coddling." Because of the operation, these women think they must take it easy—do nothing that they don't have to do; no exercise; no activity; but plenty to eat—"to keep up their strength." And of course the pounds pile on! Why not? So, dear Mrs. H., you can be an exception—and your friends will wonder "how you do it." After five months, moderate exercise is perfectly permissible—in fact it is beneficial, because it will help you to overcome the possibility of adhesions. Walk a lot, do daily exercise, especially the abdominal ones, and eat carefully. I have sent you the dietary outline as you requested. Good luck—and do let me hear from you again.

E. B. writes: I am 14 years old, five feet, four inches tall, and weigh 120 pounds. My bust is 34 inches; waist 23 1-2, and my hips 38 1-2 inches. Enclosed on another piece of paper is a diagram of my trouble. It has proved embarrassing very ofen, and I have a hard time trying to get clothes to fit me well. What can I do about it?

You are generally overweight for your height and age. But, of course, your hip proportion is your greatest problem. With a 23 waist, your hips should be 33. You see, by adding ten inches to the waist, you can arrive at the approximate figure for the hips. It should not be greater than the ten inches. But your waistline is quite small, so if you can lose five inches on the hips, you will be happy, won't you? And you can, but you'll have to work hard. Bumping exercises of all types are excellent. From time to time I have given some of these. Sit on the floor, supporting yourself with the hands on the floor behind you. Bump from side to side—a hundred times daily. And the side swing; and the kneeling one—where you drop hard on the floor from side to side is another good one. But remember, just to do these a few times and expect miracles, just isn't possible. You must do it daily—every day, regularly, for a long time. I promise you results if you are faithful.

All requests for personal "Health Beauty and Poise" information desired by Veronica Dengel's column followers must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed, stamped envelope (s. a. s. e.) Address: Veronica Dengel in care of this newspaper.

## SUNFLOWER STREET

By Tom Little and Tom Sims

IF I WASN'T DE WAY I IS I WOULDN'T BE ME AN' IF I WASN'T ME I WOULD BE SUMBODY ELSE, AN' I AIN'T EVER BEEN NOBODY ELSE SO I MIGHT NOT LIKE BEIN' DE WAY DEY IS AN' DAT'S WHY I KEEPS ON BEIN' DE WAY I IS, PAP HENTY!
IT SOUN'S GOOD, GRANNY LOU--- LET'S GET SOME MO' COFFEE SO YOU CAN SAY IT OVER AGIN!
TWO COFFEES ?
OSCAR'S PIES 4 SLICES TO A PIE
OSCAR, PAP HENTY AND GRANNY
Tom Little 8-1

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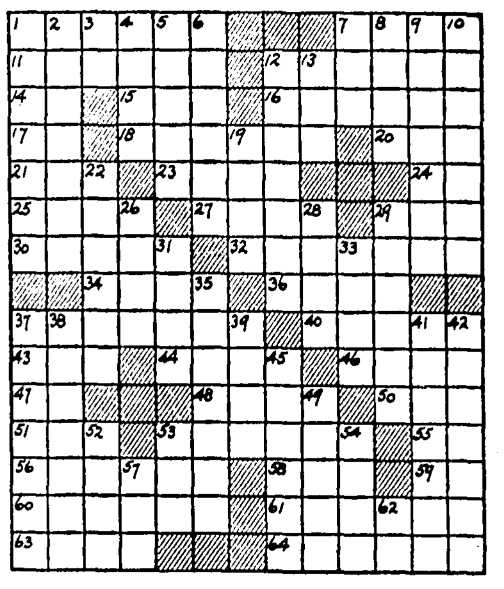
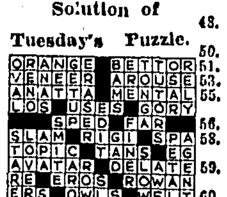
## TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



ACROSS
1. Hindu god of wisdom
7. Portions of curves
11. Part of an optical instrument
12. Drink made from sassafras bark
14. Sun god
15. Wing
16. Staring
17. Exist
18. Preparation used in oil painting
20. Huge fabulous bird
21. Republican party: colloq.
23. Mountain at the earth's center
24. Chinese measure of distance
25. Prepare for the press
27. Location
29. Old musical note
30. Prophets
32. Caused by an earthquake
34. Layer
36. Fail
37. Officer of a club
40. Arabian chieftains
43. Contemptible fellow
44. Destroy utterly
46. Great Lake
47. Short for Albert
48. Crystallized rain
50. Biblical king
51. Cover
53. Laid away
55. Negative prefix
56. Epic poem
58. Feminine name
59. Football position: abbr.
60. Little knot or lump
61. King's officer in charge of horse provender
63. Short jacket
64. European dormice

DOWN
1. Places for storing cars
2. Stylish
3. Symbol for nickel
4. Kind of cheese
5. Capital of Oregon
6. Proverbs
7. High: musical
8. Loud noise
9. Petals of a flower collectively
10. Particular
12. Greeted
13. Serpent
19. Flower
22. Patched
26. Think: archaic
28. Ireland
29. Realm of an emperor
31. European river
33. Indefinite amount
35. One to whom property is intrusted
37. Triangle with unequal sides
38. Handsome fan-leaved palm
39. Fearful: comb. form
41. Small stream
42. Fishers using large nets
45. Regular
49. Form into a fabric
52. Extinct bird
53. Self: Scotch
54. Antlered animal
57. Play on words
62. Negative

Solution of Tuesday's Puzzle.



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# JULY TEMPERATURE FAILED REACH 100 DEGREES LOCALLY

## THERE HAVE BEEN OTHER YEARS LIKEWISE, AND SOME WERE HOTTER

The temperature did not reach 100 on the official government thermometer here during the month of July, the highest point reached was 97 on Tuesday and Wednesday. But that was no record. For three years in succession, 1919, 1920 and 1921 the maximum temperature did not reach 100 and the highest reached in 1919 was 95, according to the records kept by Mrs. W. A. Hammett, official government weather recorder. The highest temperature in 1920 and 1921 was 97.

Rainfall in July this year was 4.49 inches which accounts for a considerable portion of the cool weather during the month. The average rainfall for July here is 2.49 inches. The total rainfall this year is 27.27 inches against an average of 21.67 for the same period.

The records show that the rain has been heavy in July in some years and yet the temperature ran well over 100 on numerous occasions during the month, mostly prior to rain. No rain at all fell in July in some years and the temperature during the excessively dry month was high.

In 1939 there were 17 days in which the temperature reached 100 or more and the highest recorded was 106 degrees. In 1938 there were 8 days with 100 or more; in 1937 there were 18 days with 100 or more; in 1936 there were seven days; in 1935 six days; in 1934 27; in 1933 16; in 1932 25; in 1931 15; in 1929 11; in 1928 8; in 1927 14; in 1926 6; in 1925 27; in 1924 13; in 1923 7; in 1922 14.

So if you think July was the hottest or coolest July you ever saw, don't trust your memory. look up the relords.

# NEED KICK IN PANTS; MOST OF DO; MACHINE DOES JOB NICELY

CROATAN, N. C., Aug. 1.—(AP)—It's been three years since Craven County Commissioner Tom Haywood built his self-kicking machine.

And this fourth smumer it's being used more than ever before, although some skeptics had predicted at first its novelty would soon wear off.

Perhaps you don't know what a self-kicking machine is and have never heard of Tom Haywood. Well, when you have done something that you feel you shouldn't have, and want to kick yourself for it, Haywood's machine will do it for you.

Thousands of persons have used the machine and it still is going strong although Haywood has had to install a new belt, and a third set of new shoes will have to be added in a few weeks.

To use the machine you just stand before it and work a gadget and the shoes revolve on the belt and kick you in the favorite place for all kicks.

Haywood says one reason for his machine's increasing popularity is—but let him tell it:

"Some of us who have been kicking previously about America and our form of government are now kicking ourselves after seeing the condition of other countries. We are finding that we are the ones that should be kicked, not our American government."

Elberta Peaches
AT MRS. H. L. ALBRITTON'S
Farm on Chatfield Road.
Prices Right.

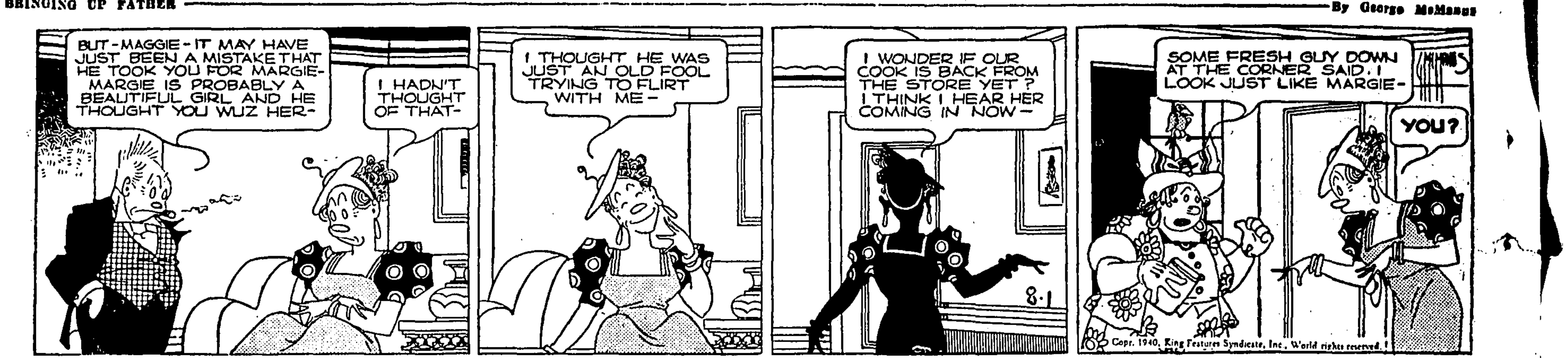
# A. AND M. COLLEGE HOLSTEIN SETS FINE RECORD FOR MILK

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 1—O. N. Shepardson, head of the Texas A. and M. College dairy husbandry department, has received notice that one of the registered Holstein cows of the college owned dairy herd set an impressive milk production record over a 365-day period.

Paulantha Aggie Posch, junior three-year old Holstein, milked three times daily, gave 16,551 pounds of milk with 582.4 pounds butterfat, which is nearly three and one-half times that of the average dairy cow, according to U. S. department of agriculture figures.

Testing was supervised by the Holstein-Fresian Association of America, Battleboro, Vt., in cooperation with the college.

BRINGING UP FATHER — By George McManus


BUT - MAGGIE - IT MAY HAVE JUST BEEN A MISTAKE THAT HE TOOK YOU FOR MARGIE - MARGIE IS PROBABLY A BEAUTIFUL GIRL AND HE THOUGHT YOU WUZ HER -
I HADN'T THOUGHT OF THAT -
I THOUGHT HE WAS JUST AN OLD FOOL TRYING TO FLIRT WITH ME -
I WONDER IF OUR COOK IS BACK FROM THE STORE YET? I THINK I HEAR HER COMING IN NOW -
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SOME FRESH GUY DOWN AT THE CORNER SAID, I LOOK JUST LIKE MARGIE -
YOU?

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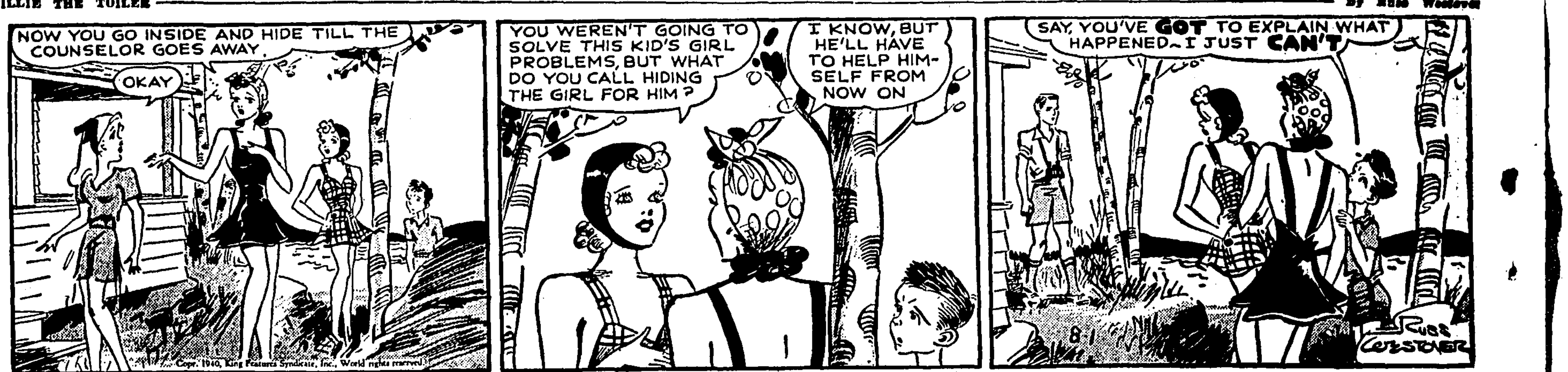
TILLIE THE TOILER — By Russ Westover


NOW YOU GO INSIDE AND HIDE TILL THE COUNSELOR GOES AWAY.
OKAY
YOU WEREN'T GOING TO SOLVE THIS KID'S GIRL PROBLEMS, BUT WHAT DO YOU CALL HIDING THE GIRL FOR HIM?
I KNOW, BUT HE'LL HAVE TO HELP HIMSELF FROM NOW ON
SAY, YOU'VE GOT TO EXPLAIN WHAT HAPPENED - I JUST CAN'T
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RUSS WESTOVER

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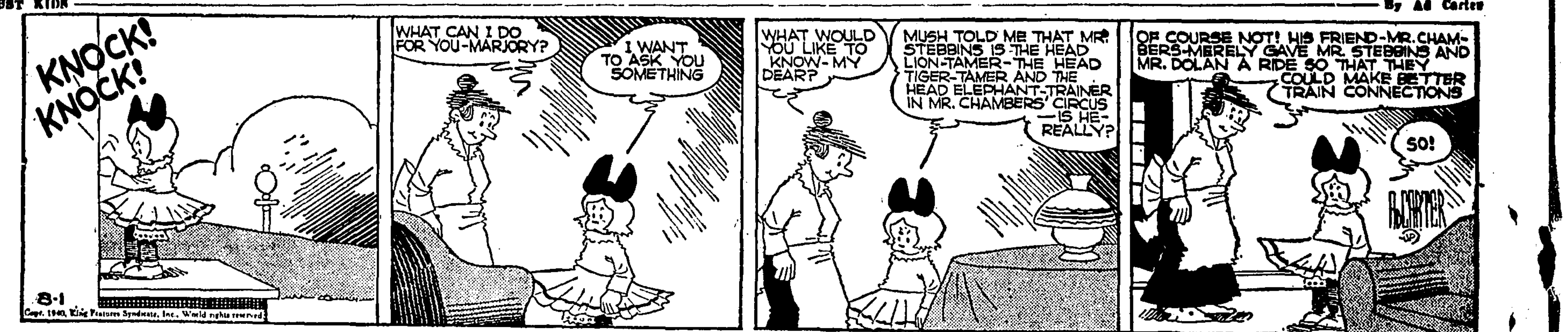
JUST KIDS — By Ad Carter


KNOCK! KNOCK!
WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU - MARJORY?
I WANT TO ASK YOU SOMETHING
WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO KNOW - MY DEAR?
MUSH TOLD ME THAT MR. STEBBINS IS THE HEAD LION-TAMER - THE HEAD TIGER-TAMER AND THE HEAD ELEPHANT-TRAINER IN MR. CHAMBERS' CIRCUS - IS HE - REALLY?
OF COURSE NOT! HIS FRIEND - MR. CHAMBERS - MERELY GAVE MR. STEBBINS AND MR. DOLAN A RIDE SO THAT THEY COULD MAKE BETTER TRAIN CONNECTIONS
SO!
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AD CARTER

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MICKEY MOUSE — By Walt Disney

FAR INTO THE NIGHT MICKEY PLEADS FOR CLARABELLE'S HELP... BUT NO SOAP! THE GAL THINKS PETE IS "HER MAN" AND SHE'S NOT GOING TO LOSE HIM!
BUT, I TELL Y', IT'S YOUR DUTY... HE'S A CRIMINAL! JUST TELL HIM TO TAKE Y' BACK FOR THE RANSOM MONEY AND...!
I WILL NOT BE A TOOL TO YOUR NEFARIOUS PLOT! AND, BESIDES...
...HE WOULDN'T LET ME GO FOR MERE MONEY! OUR ATTACHMENT HAS BECOME TOO DEEP!
LOOK, THEN... WILL Y' MAKE THIS TEST? ASK HIM... AND IF HE REFUSES TO LET Y' GO, I'LL GIVE UP! HONEST!
VERY WELL, MR. SMARTY! HIDE IN THE CLOSET AND I'LL GET HIM HERE RIGHT NOW... I'LL PROVE HOW MUCH I MEAN TO HIM!
OKAY... YOU'RE ON!
ALL RIGHT... I'LL BE THERE IN A MINUTE!
WOT THUH BLAZES DOES THAT DUMB DAME WANT AT THIS HOUR??

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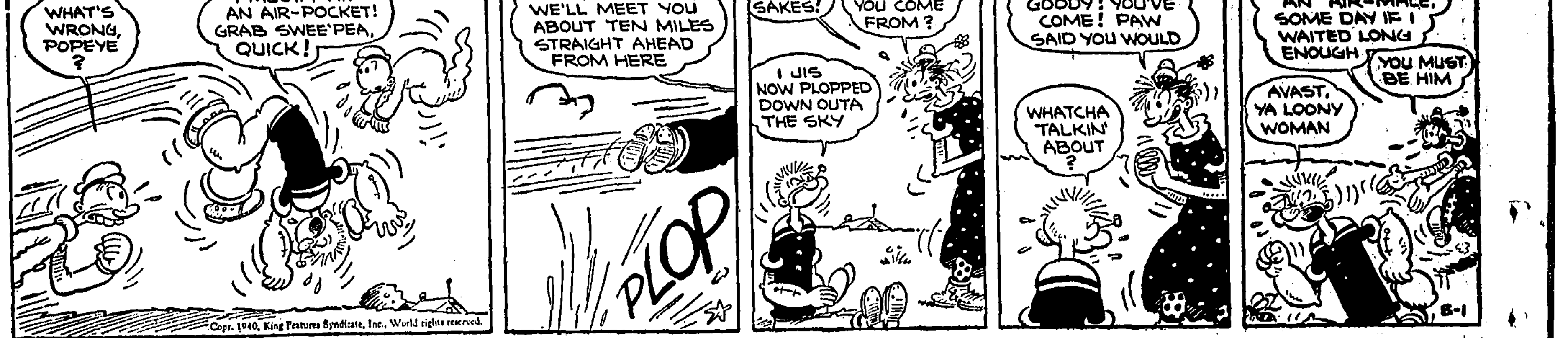
THIMBLE THEATRE STARRING POPEYE


WHAT'S WRONG, POPEYE ?
I MUSTA HIT AN AIR-POCKET! GRAB SWEE'PEA, QUICK!
OKAY, I GOT HIM, WE'LL MEET YOU ABOUT TEN MILES STRAIGHT AHEAD FROM HERE
PLOP
LAND-SAKES!
WHERE DID YOU COME FROM ?
I JIS NOW PLOPPED DOWN OUTA THE SKY
OH, GOODY! GOODY! YOU'VE COME! PAW SAID YOU WOULD
WHATCHA TALKIN' ABOUT ?
PAW SAID I'D GET AN' AIR-MALE, SOME DAY IF I WAITED LONG ENOUGH
YOU MUST BE HIM
AVAST, YA LOONY WOMAN
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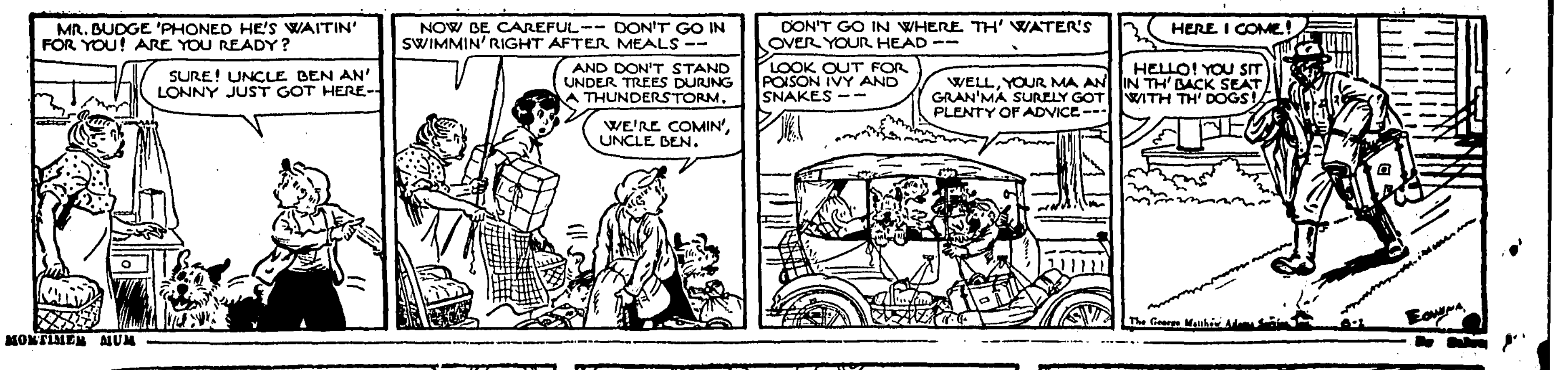
"CAP" STUBBS AND TIPPIE — By Edwina


MR. BUDGE 'PHONED HE'S WAITIN' FOR YOU! ARE YOU READY?
SURE! UNCLE BEN AN' LONNY JUST GOT HERE--
NOW BE CAREFUL-- DON'T GO IN SWIMMIN' RIGHT AFTER MEALS --
AND DON'T STAND UNDER TREES DURING A THUNDERSTORM.
WE'RE COMIN', UNCLE BEN.
DON'T GO IN WHERE TH' WATER'S OVER YOUR HEAD --
LOOK OUT FOR POISON IVY AND SNAKES --
WELL, YOUR MA AN' GRAN'MA SURELY GOT PLENTY OF ADVICE ---
HERE I COME!
HELLO! YOU SIT IN TH' BACK SEAT WITH TH' DOGS!
EDWINA

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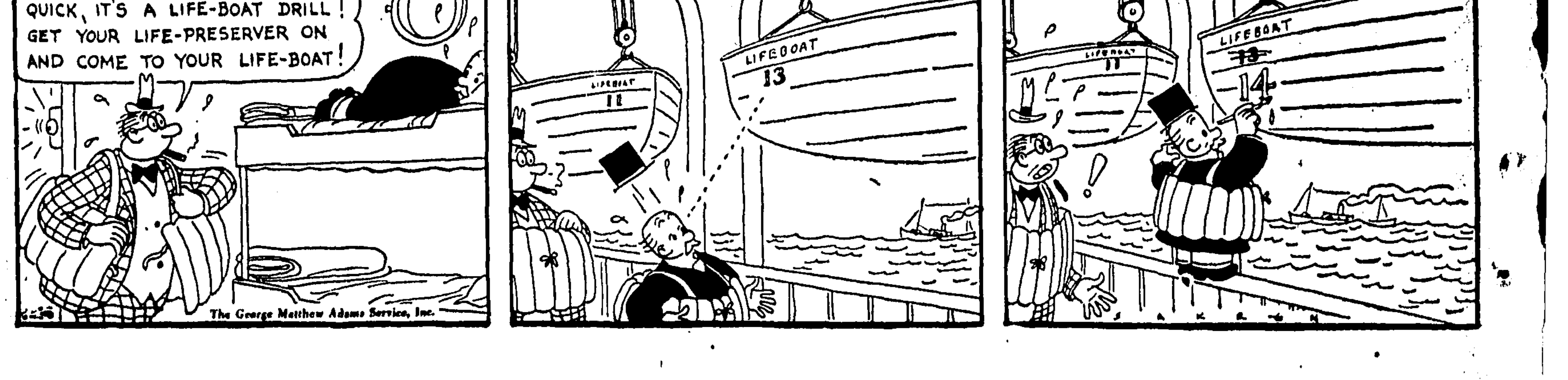
MORTIMER MUM — By Baker


QUICK, IT'S A LIFE-BOAT DRILL! GET YOUR LIFE-PRESERVER ON AND COME TO YOUR LIFE-BOAT!
LIFEBOAT 11
LIFEBOAT 13
LIFEBOAT 14
!
BAKER

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# COMMODITY MARKETS

Quotations From Major Exchanges.

## Local Markets

| | |
|---|---|
| Cotton | 9.65 |
| Cotton seed | $18.00 |

## Cotton

**Texas Spot Markets.**

DALLAS, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Cotton 9.44; Houston 9.75; Galveston 9.70.

**New Orleans Cotton Table**

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Cotton futures were irregular here today with prices fluctuating over a narrow range. Closing quotations were steady 1 point net higher to 1 point lower.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| October | 9.44 | 9.44 | 9.41 | 9.43 |
| December | 9.30 | 9.32 | 9.29 | 9.30 |
| January | 9.22 | 9.22 | 9.22 | 9.15-b |
| March | 9.09 | 9.12 | 9.09 | 9.09 |
| May | 8.91 | 8.91 | 8.89 | 8.89-90 |
| July | 8.68 | 8.68 | 8.68 | 8.68 |

b—Bid.

## Mrs. J. C. Phelps Surprised on Her 37th Wedding Day

On Tuesday, June 30, Mrs. J. C. Phelps, who is convalescing at her home, 724 South Fifteenth street, after a several weeks' illness, was asked to go spend the day with one of her daughters, Mrs. Vernon Farish. She thought nothing about it as it was her's and her husband's thirty-seventh wedding anniversary, but much to her surprise when she returned home in the late afternoon there were about twenty-five of her friends assembled in the living room and each one had brought a gift for her.

Several games were played, then the honoree opened her gift packages for all to admire. She thanked each and every one for their gifts and cards, then her two daughters, Miss Vera Dee Phelps, and Mrs. Vernon Farish, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rosa Lee Phelps, served a refreshment plate consisting of pimento cheese sandwiches, olives, potato chops, Ritz chackers and iced tea. They were assisted in serving by Miss Francis Territo and V. L. Phelps, Jr.

Those present to enjoy this happy occasion were: Mrs. Ishmael Johnston, Mrs. Howard Parker, Mrs. Joe Stewart, Mrs. W. M. Yowell, Mrs. A. D. Briscoe, Mrs. Nancy Reid, Mrs. Ben Young, Mrs. C. S. Henderson, Mrs. C. H. Spencer and little daughter, Gloria Ann, Mrs. Ollie Prince, Mrs. Gene Browning, Mrs. Clyde Gunter.

Mrs. Jessie M. Abernathy, Mrs. Buddy Farish and little daughter, Jane; Mrs. Vernon Farish, Mrs. Robert Phinney, Miss Francis Territo, Miss Vera Dee Phelps, Mrs. Rosa Lee Phelps, V. L. Phelps, Jr., Mrs. Roy Moore, Miss Lula Fesmire, Claudia Merle Farish, Peggy Jean Farish.

And those sending gifts that could not be present were Mrs. Virgia Green, Dallas; Mrs. Geneva Lumpkin, Dallas; Mrs. Louise Melton, Mrs. Grace, Mrs. Ethel Vest, Mrs. Jeff Spencer, Mrs. Williams, Miss Lizzie Fesmire, Mrs. Andy McGongh, Mrs. Weems, Mrs. Sears, Floyd, Clifford and Billie Dean Farish, Ida Mae and Earline Stewart.—Contributed.

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**AT MRS. H. L. ALBRITTON'S**
**Farm on Chatfield Road.**
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**Re-OPENS SATURDAY**
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Thru Monday
"I CAN'T GIVE YOU ANYTHING BUT LOVE, BABY"
with
BRODERICK CRAWFORD
PEGGY MORAN · JOHNNY DOWNS
Gertrude MICHAEL · Warren HYMER

## Grains and Provisions

**Fort Worth Cash Grain.**

FORT WORTH, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Wheat, No. 1 soft red winter 84 1-2 85 1-2; No. 1 hard 82 1-2 84.

Barley, No. 2 nom 54-56.

Sorghums, No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs. nom. 1.10-1.13.

Corn, shelled, No. 2 white 86-86 1-2. Oats, No 2 red 38-39.

**Grain Prices Steady**

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Comparatively steady wheat and corn prices today reflected the grain trade's analysis of August private crop estimates indicating that weather conditions in Juily reduced the prospective corn and spring wheat harvests 5 and 13 per cent respectively.

The estimates were about in line with trade expectations and were offset to some extent by evidence of recently improved weather conditions.

Wheat closed unchanged to 1-4 lower compared with yesterday's finish, September 76-75 7-8, December 76 5-8 1-2; corn unchanged to 518 off, September 61 1-2 5-8, December 58 1-2 5-8; oats 3-8 to 3-4 lower.

## Livestock

**Fort Worth Livestock.**

FORT WORTH, Aug. 1.—(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle salable and total 1,800; calves salable and total 1,100; market: most classes about steady with week's declines; some of the canner and cutter cows strong; ond killing calves weaker; common and medium beef steers and yarlings 5.50-8.00; low grade yearlings down to 4.50; good fed cattle upward from 8.50; load heifers 9.00 and three loads 9.307 lb steers 9.75; beef cows 4.00-5.25; few higher; canners and cutters mostly 2.50-3.75; bulls 3.75-5.25; slaughter calves 5.00-8.00; few choice to 8.50; culls 4.00-4.50; load lightweight mixed steer and heifer stock calves 8.75.

Hogs salable 600; total 900; steady to 10c higher than Wednesday's average; top 6.10; good and choice 175-270 lbs. weights mostly 6.00-6.10; good and choice 150-170 lbs weights 5.50-5.95; packing sows steady 4.50-5.00; stocker pigs unevenly lower at 4.00 down.

Sheep, salable 1,400; total 1,700; killing classes steady to strong; feeders steady; spring lambs 6.00-6.50; yearlings 5.00-5.50; aged wethers 3.75 down; ewes 1.75-3.00; spring feeder lambs 5.75 down.

## Shower Wednesday At Streetman For Bride of Saturday

A shower was given Wednesday afternoon at the Fullerton home in Streetman, honoring Miss Mattie Bell Cherry, who will become the bride of F. C. Vickery of Ennis, Saturday, August 3.

The home was decorated for the occasion with altheas, zinnias and marigolds. Miss Arzelle Fullerton received the guests at the door and was assisted by Gene Cate and Clarita DuBose, who were in charge of the gifts. Miss Elsie Pearl Cherry presided over the bride's book.

For entertainment each guest was presented a paper and pencil with the request they write their favorite recipe. These recipes will be placed in a file later and will be given the bride-to-be. Other entertainment was furnished by Miss Elma Lynn Grounds of Fairfield, who gave a number on the piano-accordion, and by Miss Imogene Barton who gave a reading.

When the honoree had thanked each one for the gifts and they were passed around to be admired she told the group of her plans for a wedding trip. Mrs. E. C. Bonner and Mrs. Clifford Gann, assisted by Mrs. Billie McKissack and Misses Edna Nevil and Pauline Cherry served a refreshment plate of sandwiches, potato chips and iced tea to the 58 guests who had registered in the bride's book.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to take this method of expressing our appreciation to our many friends for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. C. H. Threet. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon each of you.

HER CHILDREN,
Grandchildren and Brothers.

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Sun want ads bring results.

## Blooming Grove

BLOOMING GROVE, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Walter Ramsey and daughter, Mary Ann, of Tulsa, Okla., are guests this yeek of her mother, Mrs. Mollie McCormick, and other relatives.

Miss Lois Crocker returned to Austin Thursday after a ten day vacation with her family, the A. J. Crockers.

Mrs. Ben Brooks and Mrs. Frank Taylor made a motor trip to Kilgore Monday. Billy Brooks returned with them after spending the week end here with his family.

Robert Meador of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Meador.

Miss Quana Barber and her twin brother, Quentin Barber, of Martins Mill visited the J. R. Griffin family Monday.

A. B. Crosby is spending several weeks in Dallas with his daughter, Mrs. Roy Burress.

Rev. Robert Williams and wife left Monday for San Antonio, where he will help in a meeting and she will visit their son for two weeks.

Miss Tucker Robinson of Dallas is with her mother, Mrs. E. B. Robinson, for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Forest and little son of Waxahachie, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J O. McSpadden.

Misses Mary McDade, Emma Alice Whetry, Fern Parks and Elizabeth Hawthorne of Elkhart were spend the day guests of Miss Jean Griffin Sunday.

Miss Martha Woodard of Hubbard visited here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Isbell and children of Ennis were visiting friends here Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Clark of Purdon visited her sister, Mrs. Seth Grant, last week.

## Navarro Mills

NAVARRO MILLS, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Large crowds are attending all services of the revival which is in progress at the Baptist church here. Rev. S. R. Goff of Corsicana is doing the preaching.

Mrs. T. A. Evans and children of Houston came in Thursday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. French.

Mrs. Fred Henderson and daughter of Mexia visited friends here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder of Purdon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ford Sunday.

Miss Naomi Crecelius spent a few days in Waco this past week, visiting in the home of Miss Doris Geddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hubbard and children of Corsicana are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Garner and Mrs. Russell Thorne of Dawson were visitors in this community Sunday afternoon.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. N. V. Threet in Corsicana last Wednesday. Mrs. Threet made her home in this community several years ago and was loved by all who knew her.

## Richland

RICHLAND, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—The weather is very hot and the ground is getting dry.

There was a crowd in Richland Saturday due to election day. Several Richlanders went to Corsicana Saturday night to get the returns.

James Edgar was moved home from the Hospital last week and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Tyson of Calvert is here, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Cheek and family.

Dr. T. F. Dunn of Palestine was the guest of his brother, J. W. Garland and family one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt and family spent the week end in Mexia.

Jiggs Hilburn visited in Richland recently.

Virginia Fleming and V. C. Carter are on the sick list.

Mrs. Pate Longoris and children of Corsicana have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Knight.

Aubrie Abbe of South Texas was the guest of home folks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garland, Jogene and Walter Garland, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Dunn and family in Palestine Sunday.

But Tilman who is working in Louisiana, spent a week with homefolks and Mrs. Tilman with other parties carried him back and visited a couple of days.

Mrs. Guy Lonsford and children were in Corsicana Friday.

## Emhouse

EMHOUSE, Aug. 1—(Spl.)—Mrs. Johnnie Bonner of Tulsa, Okla., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Huling.

Mrs. Paul Harvey and little daughter of Arp, returned home Thursday after a short visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs. C. D. Allen.

The Baptist revival meeting opened Monday. Rev. Mr. Goff is doing the preaching.

Bill Moore of Tennessee is visiting relatives here and in Dallas.

Mrs. Harry Richards and children of Henderson are visiting their parents and grandparents this week.

Mrs. Robert Nokes of Malakoff is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hoffman. Mrs. Nokes has been ill but is better.

The FFA boys returned Friday from their annual camping trip to Lake Worth The FFA boys were also guests of J. W. Edens at the barbecue for club boys and Future Farmers Saturday.

The Methodist meeting closed Sunday night. The church gave the pastor a pounding which was generously responded to by the members. Rev. Mr. Morton voiced his appreciation for the feeling which prompted the church to this expression of their regard for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Foster of Ennis spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. A. E. DeRusha.

Mrs. W. W. Ray has been quite ill the past few days but is somewhat improved.

Miss Hazel Fogleman of Mexia returned home Saturday after spending several days with her grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Ray.

## Purdon

PURDON, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Lester Roloff and little daughter, Elizabeth Ann, of Trinidad were here Friday.

Mrs. Henry Williams of Hillsboro returned to her home Saturday after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. Q. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Strickland and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McGehee spent the week end in San Antonio and Galveston.

Vigirian and Nelson Ellis of Stephenville spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Cora Ellis.

Misses Loretta Bennett and Blanche Castles of Denton spent the week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCraw and daughter, Opal, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCraw and little son, Reginald, visited in Dallas Sunday afternoon with their son and brother, Herman McCraw, who is a patient in the Scottosh Rite Hospital.

Edgar Butler was a Waco visitor Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Butler spent Sunday night in Dawson with her sister, Mrs. Breedlove.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coehagen of Corsicana spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Frank Butler.

Mrs. Molly French is visiting in Blooming Grove with her daughter, Mrs. J. Ellis.

Miss Billie Ruth Rogers spent the week end in Corsicana with friends.

## Barry

BARRY, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Bates Derryberry of Houston are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. N. J. Grimmett is visiting relatives near Milford.

Mrs. J. P. Worsham is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cole at Grapevine.

Miss Gladys Varnell spent a few days with friends in Austin last week.

Elbert Worsham of Dallas visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. P. W. Varnell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kemp, near Milford.

Mrs. Ida Taylor returned to her home here Saturday after a two-weeks' stay in Rusk.

Miss Floy Castellaw of Corsicana spent the week end with her parents here.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Melton and daughter of Stockton, Calif., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Christy and sons of Lufkin visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Garrett of Waco was here Sunday.

### Have Fine Boy.

KERENS, July 30.—(Spl.)—Agriculture Professor Roy E. Cloud and Mrs. Cloud are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son and brother to three-year old Don, who made his appearance at the family home here Thursday at 6:45 a. m. Charles Marvin has been selected for the newcomer's name. He weighed 5 1-2 pounds.

### Ambassador Approved

VICHY, July 31.—(AP)—The United States government has advised France it approves of the nomination of Senator Henry Haye as ambassador to Washington, it was officially announced today. The senator, mayor of Versailles, speaks fluent English.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

## Tupelo

TUPELO, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Norwood of Wichita Falls are spending a few days in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norwood.

Alvin Jones and children, Jimmie and Doris Evelyn, went to Dallas Friday.

W. H. Mitchell, who has been ill for the past few days, is on the road to recovery.

R. B. Burdine and wife and Mrs. W. C. Burdine were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Fluker of Roane Sunday afternoon.

F. W. Goodwyn of Austin came Saturday, and his wife, who had been spending the week, returned home with him Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Monts of Ore City came in Monday. They are preparing to move to Corsicana, where they bought a home recently.

Mrs. T. H. Bowden spent Monday in Corsicana with Mrs. Cora Bowden, who is recovering from an operation.

A. H. Jones and family and J. D. Burdine and wife spent Sunday in Wortham with Mrs. M. A. Riley.

L. M. Williamson went to see R. N. Williamson Tuesday, who is seriously ill in the Navarro Clinic.

### Union Revival.

KERENS, July 30.—(Spl.)—A union meeting of the Methodist and Baptist churches of Bazette is now in progress, having opened Friday night, July 26, to continue through the first Sunday in August. Night services are held on the church lawn, with morning services inside. Rev. N. M. Gilbert is the visiting preacher.

## Thanks Just the Same

**To all my friends and supporters who voted for me and who worked in my behalf I wish to express my sincere thanks and my deep appreciation. I also wish to thank the entire citizenship of Navarro County for the courteous and friendly way in which they received my solicitations for their consideration. I met and talked with thousands of you in the six months in which I campaigned. I came to your homes and often disturbed your afternoon nap or your morning household duties. I walked across your fields and stopped you from your plowing or hoeing. I stopped you on the streets and sometimes broke into your conversation with others. I pestered you with candidate cards and other campaign literature. But not one single time did any person in Navarro County take offense or even say one unkind word to me. Many of you disagreed with me on my stand against the Harrison County plan. Many more disagreed with me because I wanted to hire a trained road and bridge builder to instruct our road crews and Commissioners in the best and most economical way to perform their work. But you all voiced your disagreements in a most courteous manner. It was a joy and a pleasure to campaign with you good people, and long after the memory of defeat has faded, the memory of your courteous reception and treatment will remain with me.**

**The rumor that originated at Emhouse that I was a foreign sympathizer and spread rapidly over the county until I was under suspicion as a spy or fifth columnist was of course so ridiculous that I take no offense against the ones who started it. If it was spread to harm me I think it must have failed in its purpose as I most certainly do not think this rumor contributed very much to my loss. In justice to my honorable and worthy opponents, lest it might be thought otherwise, I wish to state that they had absolutely nothing to do either with the starting or spreading of this charge. In fact, they knew nothing of it until I myself informed them. And for the good people of Emhouse who proved by the substantial vote cast for me there that they gave no credence to such a tale, I wish to extend thanks.**

**To say that I was not disappointed over the outcome would not be telling the truth. I had a most sincere desire to serve as your County Judge. There is much work that needs to be done in cutting out the waste and extravagance that exists in our County government. I wanted to be the man who put a stop to it. But since I was not the one chosen I stand ready to help the man you do choose. And let me ask every one in Navarro County to get behind the man who is elected, and let us pull together to help him stop the waste and to build some good roads and permanent bridges in Navarro County.**

**Again I thank you.**

**DONALD MARR**

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## Courthouse News

### District Court.

Announcement Tuesday was withdrawn in the case of M. E. Lake vs. J. F. Slay, personal injuries, and the jury was discharged. The suit is the result of an automobile-truck collision on West Second avenue early this year in which Mrs. Lake received serious injuries.

With the discharging of the jury Tuesday, no more juries will report in the district court until the October term of court.

### District Clerk's Office.

The following cases were filed: Willie Springfield vs. Charles Elvisha Springfield, divorce.

Mrs. Oma Williams vs. J. R. Williams, divorce.

The following 26 civil cases were filed during July:

Divorce, 18; partition, 1; adoption 1; delinquent child, 4; restoration of sanity, 1; damages, 1.

### County Court.

A white man was adjulged of unsound mind in the county court Monday.

### County Clerk's Office

A written request from Jim Holmes, negro, of Dallas, for a marriage certificate for his marriage in 1894, 46 years ago, received this week at the clerk's office revealed that the slip of notebook paper on which the permission of Holmes and his wife's parents was written had also been preserved through those years. Holmes and his wife were minors at the time of the issuance of the license.

There were 40 marriage licenses issued during July.

### Sheriff's Office.

An escapee from the Navarro county farm was arrested and placed in jail Monday afternoon.

There were 123 prisoners lodged in the county jail during July.

### Constable's Office.

Three were arrested for drunkenness, one for disturbing the peace and one for affray by the constable's department.

### Justice Court.

One was fined on an affray charge by Judge A. E. Foster.

One was fined for affray, four for vagrancy and four or drunkenness by Judoge Pat Geraughty.

### Commissioners Court

The bonds of J. E. Inmon at Kerens and J. L. Mitchell of Frost as public weighers were approved at the regular meeting of the commissioners court Thursday morning.

An agreement for the purchase of 3.1 miles of right-of-way for the new Highway 31 location from the Hill-Navarro county line to near Dawson for highway department was discussed Thursday morning. No definite action was taken at the morning session. The agreement stipulates the right-of-way will be 120 feet wide at a minimum and fencing will be required of the county.

The court again was in session Thursday afternoon.

### Hospital Board

The regular session of the Navarro county hospital board will be held at the P. and S. hospital Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## Political Announcements

(First Primary July 27, 1940)
(Second Primary August 24, 1940)

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office designated subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

**COUNTY JUDGE.**
E. D. (Ditt) McCormick
Paul H. Miller (re-election).

**ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR.**
Halley Blake.
Andrew G. Steele.

**COUNTY TREASURER.**
Joe E. (Blind) Daniel.
Mrs. Mamie Armstrong.

**COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1.**
T. P. (Pink) Hayes (Re-election).
Jim Taylor.

**COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3.**
C. O. (Charlie) Slaughter, (re-election).
Fred M. Copeland.

**COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4.**
J. N. (Joe) George (Re-election).
Drew Gillen.

**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT 1, PLACE 1.**
A. E. Foster, (re-election).
Hayden Paschall.

**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. PRECINCT No. 6.**
C. A. Steele (2nd term).

**CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 1.**
Clarence Powell (Re-election).
William E. (Bill) Lee.

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**S. E. Fuller Gro. & Mkt.**

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|---|---|
| Juice, Pineapple, tall cans, 2 for | 15c |
| B. Powder, Calumet, 10c sz. sale price | 7c |
| Sugar, pure granulated, 10 lbs. | 43c |
| Pinto Beans, new crop, C. R. C. 10 lbs. | 42c |
| Flour, Guaranteed, 48 lb. sack | 85c |
| Lard, 4 lb. carton, each | 29c |
| Vinegar, bring your jug, gallon | 12c |
| Macaroni or Spaghetti, 2 pkgs. | 5c |
| Tomatoes, No. 2 cans, 4 for | 25c |
| Mustard, quart jars, each | 10c |
| Corn Flakes, large pkgs., 3 for | 25c |
| Milk, tall cans, each | 5c |
| Brooms, 5 string, each | 19c |
| Peas, English, No. 2 can, each | 10c |
| Jello, any flavor, each | 5c |
| Corn, Golden Bantam, No. 2 can, 2 for | 15c |
| Jowls, Dry Salt, No. 1, lb. | 5½c |
| Sausage, pure pork, lb. | 10c |
| Steak, beef, young, tender, lb. | 15c |
| Lard, bulk, bring your bucket, 2 lbs. | 15c |
| Roast, beef, young tender, lb. | 15c |
| Pork Steak, home killed, 2 lbs. | 25c |

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## Announcements

### Lost or Strayed 3

LOST—Goodyear truck tire and wheel off of truck last Sunday on the Cowhead road. Finder notify B. D. Christie at Southern Ice, Corsicana.

STRAYED—Two Jersey heifers; no brands, but small horns; weight about 400 each. Please notify E. A. Keeling at Wortham and receive reward.

### Personal 5

JOE: Have left home. Can't stand living room walls. Will return when you paint them with Sherwin-Williams Flat-Tone Wall Finish. Get it at Lyon-Gray Lumber Co., 315 East 7th Ave. Phone 17.

### Wanted 7

NOTICE—Call Caton's Mule Barn for removal of dead cows, horses and mules within 20 miles of Corsicana. Call collect. Phone 818, Corsicana. Dallas Animal By-Products Co.

## Business Service

### Mattress Makers 10

MATTRESSES Renovated in new art tick $1.95 and $2.95 or in best A.C.A. tick $3.00 and $2.75; also will sterilize in 230 degrees circulated steam heat only 75c. New 45 lb. mattresses $3.95; best white cotton mattresses $10.00. Inner-sprig work a specialty. We use only best 312 coil springs and white cotton—see us for real quality and workmanship — oldest factory in Navarro county—we are reliable. We also upholstre furniture, recover gliders, swings, day beds, etc. Phone 340 —NEW WAY MATTRESS FACTORY on South Highway 75, 801 S. 7th St. Ed. Dresser, owner for 15 years.

### Miscellaneous Service 11

OLIVER and FARMALL Tractor users I can furnish, repair and service your tractors; also do automobile repair work. Jerry Worsham, 412 N. Beaton street. Phone 1683-651.

## Merchandise

### SPECIAL

One practically new $160.50 G. E. range $89.50; one rebuilt aluminum tub Maytag washer with new Maytag guarantee. Several used washers $9.50 up. New Maytag washers as low as $64.95. Several used ice boxes cheap. Be sure and see our new Hotpoint Refrigerator, and figure with us before buying any refrigerator. Visit our air conditioned salesroom at 219 N. Main Street. Terms easily arranged at Maytag Appliance Company. Phone 1011 and arrange for free demonstration.

## Dresden

DRESDEN, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—The farmers are very busy baling hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddie McCulloch and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Nettles and children of Streetman visited Mr. and Mrs. Grover Melton during the week end.

Ruby White has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White.

Mrs. A. L. Sims of Drane spent last Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Joe D. Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Woolen spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cagle, J. C. Cagle and Mrs. Jim Herring went to Corsicana Sunday to see Mrs. Fred Cumpston, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Dixon and daughter, Faye, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollingsworth.

Mrs. L. M. Clark of Clarksville Mr. and Mrs. Bunkie Clark and baby visited in the Z. E. Melton hoem Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nig Melton had as their guest Sunday Rev. Will McCulloch of Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton of near Rice spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morton.

Beldon English and family of Jones Ranch visited Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Blake last Sunday.

B. B. Melton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Farris of Blooming Grove spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Staggs.

Dora Cagle, Wynelle Herring and J. C. Cagle attended church at Emmett Sunday night.

Mattie Ruth Hiler has gone to Abilene for an extended visit.

## FLYNN

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a borough with a population of well over a million, is a closely-knit, highly efficient machine which has repeatedly turned in large democratic majorities.

## Real Estate

FOR SALE

Nice 5 room cottage with all conveniences on West 11th Ave. Price $1150.00 cash.

Good 5 room dwelling, all conveniences. Lot 50x270 on South 15th St. Price $1000.00 cash.

4 room dwelling, front and back porch, large barn, chicken house, good well several fruit trees, grape vines, lot 100x212 ft. on North Commerce St. Sale price $595.00, part terms.

House and lot on East 9th Ave., iron barn, garage. Sale price $275.00 cash.

FOR RENT

Nice garage apartment on West 7th avenue. $15.00 per month.

Will have nice cottage on West 3rd avenue August 1st for rent at $30.00 per month.

If interested in buying a house or farm, come see me.

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## Used Cars

### Automobiles for Sale 57

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Good trailor, will carry 1 1-2 cords of wood, good rubber.

1933 Chevrolet Sedan.
1933 Plymouth.
1929 Chevrolet.
1927 Chevrolet.
1934 Chevrolet Coupe, real buy. Private owner, $75.

For bargains in trailors and cheap used cars see McWilliam at DAY AND NIGHT GARAGE.

### Building Materials 32

PORCHES need protection. Use Sherwin-Williams Porch and Deck Paint and save on repair bills. Special now 1-2 gal. for only $1.85.—Lyon-Gray Lumber Co., 315 East 7th Ave. Phone 17.

### Radio and Musical 34

FOR SALE—Combination Victor radio and Victrola in good condition. Reasonably priced. Phone 925.

### Miscellaneous for Rent 42

STORE BUILDING FOR RENT — The fifty foot front store building on North Commerce street adjoining a wide paved alley, formerly occupied by the Collins Cash Grocery, is for rent. This is the best business location in Corsicana and a long time lease is available at reasonable rental. Parties interested, see Lowry Martin at the Daily Sun Office.

### Kerens Revival.

KERENS, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—The Kerens Church of Christ announces a summer revival which began Wednesday night, July 31, to continue through August 11. John Stevenson, evangelist, and Guy Parkeson, singer, will have charge of all services, to which the public is cordially invited.

**Special Saturday**
**Betty Crocker**
**Angel Food Cake**
**Regular 40c Value**
**25c each**
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**Listen Folks**

We have been a long time about it but we are now getting something to sell. This week we have received several Farmalls, in fact a full car load, that is something we haven't had in months, so came in and see what we have you might like some of it?

We have sold so many trucks of late that we are stocked to the gills on used Pickups, in fact just seven at various prices. You will find just what you are looking for.

GOOD USED HAY PRESSES. We have four priced from $65.00 up. They are in good running condition and so cheap you can't help but buy them.

Weather is so hot you surely need a REFRIGERATOR. Our G-E Store has the following bargains: One Used Electrolux Oil Burner, Two New Gas Electrolux, Five Good Used General Electric in Good Condition, priced from $40.00 up. One slightly Used CROSLEY, sold new for $200.00, priced now only $85.00.

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# SALES OF TEXAS MERCHANTS HIGHER FIRST HALF 1940

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Sales of independent retail merchants in Texas during the first half of 1940 were 3.3 higher than in the corresponding period last year, according to a report issued by the Commerce Department.

Increases were reported for the six months period by dealers in every city-size group, from the small towns to those in the 100,000 population and over classification. Forty-nine stores checked in Fort Worth showed an average gain over last year of 6.1 per cent. those in Dallas were up 2.2 per cent, and those checked in El Paso were 5.4 per cent.

Over the state as a whole the volume of business dropped 2.2 per cent in June this year from June of 1939, but Galveston merchants led all in the state who did enjoy a gain. Their increase was 8 per cent.

# RUSSIA

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"However, the fact that the authorities in the United States unlawfully placed an embargo on the gold which our state bank recently purchased from the banks of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia meets with the most energetic protest on our part.

"In this case we can only remind both the government of the United States and the government of Great Britain, which adopted the same procedure, of their responsibility for these illegal acts."

Warning that the status of Finland in the Soviet's good graces is entirely "up to Finland" Molotoff said certain circles there must discontinue their anti-Soviet tendencies or there would be a deterioration of relations.

Britain, he said, is trying to "scare" Russia with the prospect of a clash with Germany, but he declared this was "impossible."

Declaring an understanding with Italy also was "possible," and that Russian policy also was aimed at closer connections with Japan, Molotoff said relations with Germany "wholly remain as laid down in the Soviet-German agreement"—the non-aggression pact which was signed last August.

"This agreement," he said, "strictly observed by our government, removed the possibility of friction in Soviet-German relations when Soviet measures were carried out along our Western Frontier and at the same time it has assured Germany a calm feeling of security in the east."

Molotoff said relations with the free Chinese republic "are the best" and "there are certain signs that Japan now wants to improve relations. Such improvement is possible, but much is not clear in the new (Japanese) cabinet's foreign policy."

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# SINCLAIR

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reduce competition, Sinclair answered: "Probobly."

He said he did not know whether such regulation would provide more profits for the industry.

Patrick J. Hurley, former secretary of war and currently an attorney for Sinclair, elaborated on his employer's statements. Concluding with the assertion:

### Reprisals Illegal.

"The reprisals conducted against the Sisclair Purchasing company in an attempt to compel it to restore prices that it had reduced to meet competition are illegal."

Sinclair said the real trouble with the industry was that those who determined the matter did not choose to sell petroleum products at a fair price. In outlining ills of the industry, he mentioned:

Too much oil and virtually the lowest prices in history for oil products.

Immensely increased costs and capital required to produce a barrel of oil.

A pegged price for crude that bears no proper relation to increased production costs.

The proposal that refiners make less gasoline, Sinclair asserted, is "just another of those false pretenses by which we are surrounded and provides no path out of the wilderness."

"My main reason for this opinion,' Sinclair said, "is that most of us know that the amount of distress gasoline, that is, gasoline for which there is no market at a fair price, is so small as to be an unimportant factor.'

He added that the big gasoline stocks of which so much is heard are in the hands of people who don't have to sell unless they want to.

"The little fellows, the so-called chislers, the bad boys who get a cargo now and then that they sell below market price, have no storage so they are not contributors to the heavy burden of stocks," he continued.

"They have always been with us, and in my opinion will always be with us, and it is time to stop using them as an excuse or an alibi for the doings of the so-called major units of the industry."

### The Real Reason

"The real reason why the industry is not making any money out of its domestic business, and why it cannot pay as much for crude as it is paying now, is that those who determine the price for petroleum products do not, for their own reasons, choose to sell their goods at a fair price.

"I do not pretend to be in their confidence and certainly they do not tell me their secrets, so I can only draw inferences from their acts."

One of Sinclair's companies recently reduced the posted price of crude in North and Central Texas fields.

As to regulatory agenies, Sinclair had this to say:

"I know that our highest courts have upheld in some cases the acts of regulatory commission. I still do not believe that a clear cut case involving arbitrary and capricious shut-downs 'for the prevention of waste,' but actually having no real relation to such a purpose, will be upheld. If necessary, it is my intention to test this belief in the courts."

Sinclair said he shared with most Texans a strong aversion to further extension of government control of the oil industry but a continuation of a system "half free and half slave" or under a compact which holds some states rigidly in check and permits other to do as they please would result in federal control.

"This would be a bitter pill, but we may be forced to take it if the states and the industry do not soon prove that they can cure their own ills," he said.

"So far as I am concerned, as between the present situation—under dominance of those who now determine the prices at which products shall be sold—and government control, fairly and intelligently exercised, I am ready to advocate government control."

Sinclair frequently stressed the relation of crude and products prices.

### Can't Last Long

"I have said it a hundred times and I will say it a hundred more times that for no considerable period of time can the branch of the industry that manufactures products out of crude, pay more for the crude than it gets for the products.

"One can be a good fellow for a while, but ultimately paying more for flour than a baker can get for bread is going to reduce the baker to bankruptcy. By the same token, paying more for crude than the refiner can get for his product is going to reduce him to bankruptcy."

An examination of proration as it is administered—not as it was represented years ago—shows that some states are prorated yet there is still too much oil and virtually the lowest prices in history for oil products, the oil magnate declared.

### Think That Over

"It is a safe guess that it costs three or four times as much to produce a barrel of crude under proration than it cost 12 or 15 years ago. In this same period, crude has dropped 50 per cent in price. Think that over.

"If anyone has the idea that the increased capital required to produce oil is something that concerns only companies with great finanial resources, let me give you an example that should bring this aspect of the situation home to the little fellow.

"He needs 2,000 barrels a day. If he wanted to produce the oil himself it would cost him say $120,000 to drill eight wells, producing at the rate of 250 barrels each in Illinois to supply the 2,000 barrels. To get 2,000 barrels under a 20-barrel allowable in East Texas would mean an investment of $1,500,000.

"This will give you an idea as to what we have done about increasing the cost of production, but we have not done anything about product prices and if we tried to do so, all we would get would be an indictment."

### THANKS

We take this means of thanking our good friends of Emhouse for their splendid support of Mr. T. P. Hayes on July 27.

We will appreciate your support Aug. 24th.

SAM ALLEN.
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### To the Voters of Navarro County

I am using this method to thank you who supported me for County Judge in the recent primary. My gratitude to you is not less than it would have been had I been elected.

W. T. HIPPS

# INTERNATIONAL

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Like Gayda, military observers in Germany emphasized the point of making English ports useless for receiving war supplies.

### Claimed Five Planes Downed

The Nazis claimed to have shot down five British planes and two barrage balloons in the battle near Dover, as well as three British planes entering Norwegian, Dutch and Danish territory. They admitted two of their own were missing. In England it was believed three German planes were brought down.

The high command also acknowledged that British planes had raided Germany, but declared their bombs had been dropped in Hanover, far from any military objective.

Britain's own counter strategy of extending her blockade from the Arctic to North Africa brought word from Tokyo today, through Domei, Japanese news agency, that the Japanese ambassador at London would protest, declaring Japan's trade with Spain, Portugal and other neutrals would suffer.

And while Western Europe waited for a possible outbreak of blitzkrieg methods against Britain—for many were skeptical of Gayda's statement and apparent German agreement with the notion—there was excitement and gayety in Russia.

### To Welcome Three New States

The supreme Soviet, Russia's parliament, convened to welcome formally the states of Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania into the union. All three voted the union last month.

Germans intimated that invasion is not in the immediate picture—but said the battle of Britain already is on.

That battle went into its new phase last Monday when dive bombers concentrated in a harbor-wrecking attack on Dover, German military observers declared. Now, they said, the Stukas can smash the rest of England's harbor and shipping facilities port by port.

The British, who have conceded some damage to southeastern ports, broadened their own blockade effective at midnight last night from the Arctic to Africa.

In the South Atlantic east of Brazil British warships were believed to have taken up the chase of a German raider which fought to a draw with the British merchant cruiser Alcantara.

At least one direct hit killed two and wounded seven aboard the 22,000-ton Alcantara and so cut the merchant cruiser's speed that she had to give up the chase and limp to Rio De Janerio, 660 miles east of the Brazilian island of Trinidad, where the fight took place. The raider with disappearing guns fled behind a smoke screen.

Elsewhere in the war at sea, Britain announced the sinking of the 1,375-ton Delight, 29th British destroyer lost in the war, after a bombing attack.

The Italian high command said Italian fliers had sunk a British destroyer in the eastern Mediterranean July 28, but did not identify it; and also claimed the air force destroyed two British planes in a fight over Malta.

An RAF communique issued at Cairo, Egypt, said two Italian submarines had been sunk in the Mediterranean last month, and an Italian fighter plane had been shot out of a formation yesterday in an attempted raid on Malta.

A Madrid radio broadcast said a battle squadron of three British battleships, an aircraft carrier, four destroyers and five submarines headed into the Mediterranean from Gibraltar on an undisclosed mission.

In the air war, German raiders struck during the night in the neighborhood of the Thames Estuary, shipping entrance to London, and of the Bristol channel, west coast waterway, but the British government said damage was slight and no casualties resulted.

Radio stations at Bremen and Hamburg were reported silent, indicating British raids on Germany.

In the Far East, the Japanese admiralty spokesman in Tokyo asserted President Roosevelt's embargo on exporting aviation gasoline outside the western hemisphere "undoubtedly is designed to exert economic pressure on Japan "and the Rome-Berlin axis." If America continues on the same lines it is bound to cause repercussions, he added.

At the same time the new government of Prince Fumimaro Konoye issued a lengthy statement of policy which outlined a strongly centralized and unified states designed for creation of "a new order for greater East Asia."

### Guests From Arizona.

KERENS, Aug. 1.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stockton have had as their guests the past few days, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Manning and daughter, Camille, of Phoenix, Arizona.

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